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Editor's Notes

There's nothing much for me to touch upon this past season. I had to skip out on Anime Impulse, LA Comic Con and AX Chibi. This had to happen because I had to focus on my schooling. I only have a few more months to go before I could get back into the swing of things…starting off slow of course and working my way up. Right now, other than this magazine and a few other responsibilities, I focusing towards getting my medical coding credentials by this summer…I hope.

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Paris, France
Palais des Congrès
www.ffdistantworlds.com

Convention schedule

Winter 2025

OKiCon
Anime
December 27–29
Embassy Suites by Hilton Norman Hotel and Conference Center
Norman, OK
www.okicon.org

Cosplay Matsuri
Cosplay
December 28–30
SMX Convention Center Manila, Mall of Asia Complex
Pasay, Philippines
cosplay.ph

ShadowCon
Pop Culture
January 3–4
Travelodge Convention Center
Memphis, TN
www.shadowcon.info

Anime-Zap!
Anime
January 3–5
Embassy Suites East Peoria Conference Center, East Peoria, IL
animezapcon.com

SacAnime: Winter
Anime
January 3–5
Sacramento Convention Center
Sacramento, CA
www.sacanime.com

Animé Los Angeles
Anime
January 9–12
Long Beach Convention Center
Long Beach, CA
www.animelosangeles.org

Ichibancon
Anime
January 9–12
Embassy Suites Concord
Concord, NC
ichibancon.com

Ikkicon
Anime
January 10–12
Kalahari Resort and Convention Center
Round Rock, TX
www.ikkicon.com

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Nyári MondoCon
Anime
January 11
Hungexpo, K Conference Centre
Budapest, Hungary
www.mondocon.hu

G-Anime: Winter
Anime
January 17–19
Palais des Congrès de Gatineau
Gatineau, Québec, Canada
www.ganime.ca

KawaCon
Anime
January 17–19
Henry B. Gonzalez Convention Center
San Antonio, TX
www.kawaconsa.com

MarsCon
Science Fiction
January 17–19
Holiday Inn
Virginia Beach, VA
www.marscon.net

Arisia
Science Fiction
January 17–20
Hyatt Regency Boston/Cambridge
Boston, MA
www.arisia.org

Jacksonville Anime Day
Anime
January 18
Ramada Jacksonville Hotel and Conference Center
Jacksonville, FL
www.jacksonville.animeday.net

Desucon Frostbite
Anime
January 24–26
Sibelius Hall
Lahti, Finland
desucon.fi/frostbite2025/

San Angelo Comic Con
Comic
January 24–26
Fosters Communication Coliseum
San Angelo, TX
sanangelocomiccon.com

Taiyou Con
Anime
January 24–26
Mesa Convention Center
Mesa, AZ
www.taiyoucon.com

Uchi-Con
Anime
January 25
University of Chicago, Ida Noyes Hall
Chicago, IL
www.uchi-con.com

Animazing Con
Anime
January 25–26
Savannah Convention Center
Savannah, GA
www.savannahanimazing.com

Pasadena Comic Convention and Toy Show
Comic
January 26
Pasadena Convention Center
Pasadena, CA
www.pasadenacomicandtoyshow.com

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Convention sched

Anime Town Greenville
Anime
January 31 – February 2
Greenville Convention Center
Greenville, SC
www.animetowngreenville.com

Ohayocon
Anime
January 31 – February 2
Dayton Convention Center
Dayton, OH
ohayocon.online

Setsucon
Anime
January 31 – February 2
Blair County Convention Center
Altoona, PA
setsucon.com

ArtCon
Pop Culture
February 1
Neosho Jr. High, Neosho, MO
www.neoshoarts.net

SSA+S Toracon
Pop Culture
February 1
Sarasota School of Arts & Sciences
Sarasota, FL
www.ssastoracon.net

Anime Gaming Expo
Gaming
February 1–2
The Big Fresno Fair, Fresno, CA
animefuse.com

Little Rock Anime Fest
Anime
February 1–2
Satehouse Convention Center
Little Rock, AR
www.littlerockanimefest.com

Liverpool Anime & Gaming Con
Anime
February 1–2
Aintree Racecourse
Liverpool, United Kindom
www.liverpoolanimecon.com

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MegaCon Orlando
Pop Culture
February 6–9
Orange County Convention
Center, rlando, FL
www.megaconorlando.com

Kami-Con
Culture
February 7–9
Birmingham-Jefferson Convention
Complex, Birmingham, AL
www.kamicon.net

Ushicon
Anime 18+
February 7–9
Wyndham Garden Austin
San Marcos, TX
www.ushicon.com

AniMangaPop! Plymouth Winter
Anime
February 8
Future Inn
Cardiff, MN, United Kingdom
www.animangapop.co.uk

Anime Expo Santiago
Anime
February 8–9
Centro Cultural Estación Mapocho
Santiago, Chile
www.anime-expo.cl

Birmingham Anime & Gaming Con
Anime
February 8–9
Edgbaston Stadium
Birmingham, United Kingdom
www.birminghamanimecon.com

Gameology UK
Gaming
February 9
Future Inn
Plymouth, United Kingdom
gameologyuk.com

Akumakon
Anime
February 14–16
Áras na Mac Léinn
Galway, Ireland
www.akumakon.com

J-Popcon
Pop Culture
February 14–16
DGI-byen
Copenhagen, Denmark
j-popcon.dk

Katsucon
Anime
February 14–16
Gaylord National Resort
& Convention Center
National Harbor, MD
www.katsucon.org

Pensacon: Pensacola Comic Con
Comic
February 14–16
Pensacola Bay Center
Pensacola, FL
www.pensacon.com

Orccon
Gaming
February 14–17
Hilton Los Angeles Airport
Los Angeles, CA
www.strategicon.net

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Anime Impulse: Los Angeles
Anime
February 15–16
Fairplex Exposition Complex
Pomona, CA
www.animeimpulse.com

C3 GameCon
Gaming
February 15–16
Corvallis Community Center
Corvallis, OR
www.corvallisoregon.gov/c3/page/c3-gamecon

Tsukino-Con
Anime
February 15–17
University of Victoria,
Bob Wright Centre
Victoria, British Columbia, Canada
www.tsukinocon.com

Anime Crossroads
Anime
February 21–23
Embassy Suites, Plainfield, IN
www.animecrossroads.com

Con Nooga
Pop Culture
February 21–23
Chattanooga Convention Center
Chattanooga, TN
www.connooga.com

FanExpo Vancouver
Pop Culture
February 21–23
Vancouver Convention Centre
Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada
www.fanexpovancouver.com

Japan Expo Sud
Cultural
February 21–23
Marseille Chanot - Palais des Congrès et des Expositions
Marseille, France
www.japan-expo-sud.com

AniMangaPop! Bristol
Anime
February 22
Future Inn
Bristol, United Kingdom
www.animangapop.co.uk

Arizona Matsuri
Cultural
February 22–23
Steele Indian School Park
Phoenix, AZ
www.azmatsuri.org

Lubbock-Con
General Pop Culture
February 22–23
Lubbock Memorial Civic Center
Lubbock, TX
www.lubbockcon.com

Sac Comic-Con
Comic
February 22–23
Sacramento Convention Center
Sacramento, CA
www.sac-con.com

Anime Milwaukee
Anime
March 7–9
Hilton Milwaukee City Center Hotel, Milwaukee, WI
www.animemilwaukee.org

Banzaicon
Anime
March 7–9
Double Tree by Hilton Columbia
Columbia, SC
banzaicon.com

Kikori Con
Anime
March 7–9
Little America Hotel
Flagstaff, AZ
www.kikoricon.com

Minami Con
Anime
March 7–9
Novotel Hotel
Southampton, United Kindom
www.minamicon.org.uk

Bristol Anime & Gaming Con
Anime
March 8–9
Mercure Grand Hotel
Bristol, United Kindom
www.bristolanimecon.com

Mississippi Anime Festival
Anime
March 8–9
Mississippi Trademart Mart
Jackson, MS
msanimefest.com

Collective Con
Pop Culture
March 14–16
Prime F. Osborn III Convention Center
Jacksonville, FL
collectivecon.com

EvilleCon
Anime
March 14–16
Old National Events Plaza
Evansville, IN
www.evillecon.com

Kawaii Kon
Anime
March 14–16
Hawai'i Convention Center
Honolulu, HI
kawaiikon.com

Naka-Kon
Anime
March 14–16
Overland Park Convention Center & Sheraton Hotel
Overland Park, KS
aka-kon.com

TsumiCon
Anime 18+
March 14–16
Alexis Park Resort Hotel
Las Vegas, NV
www.tsumicon.com

Florida PolyCon
Pop Culture
March 15
Florida Polytechnic University
Lakeland, FL
www.flpolycon.org

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Dublin Comic Con: Spring
Comic
March 15–16
Convention Centre Dublin
Dublin, Ireland
www.dublincomiccon.com

Heroes Made in Asia
Anime
March 15–16
Jaarbeurs Utrecht
Utrecht, Netherlands
www.made-in-asia.nl

Zenkaikon
Anime
March 20–23
Lancaster County
Convention Center
Lancaster, PA
zenkaikon.com

Colorado Anime Fest
Anime
March 21–23
Denver Marriott Tech Center
Denver, CO
www.coanimefest.com

Isekai Anime Con
Anime
March 21–23
Mountain America Exposition
Center, Sandy, UT
isekaianimecon.com

MidSouthCon
Science Fiction
March 21–23
Whispering Woods Hotel and
Conference Center
Olive Branch, TN
midsouthcon.org

CarrierCon
Comic
March 22
USS Hornet Museum
Alameda, CA
www.uss-hornet.org/carriercon/

Hero Hype Expo: Miami
Pop Culture
March 22
Miami Airport Convention Center
Miami, FL
www.herohype.com

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Animarathon
Anime
March 22–23
Bowling Green State University,
Bowen-Thompson Student Union
Bowling Green, OH
animarathon.org

AnimeJapan
Anime
March 22–23
Tokyo Big Sight
Tōkyō, Japan
www.anime-japan.jp

Tora-Con
Anime
March 22–23
Rochester Institute of Technology
Rochester, NY
toracon.org

GalaxyCon: Richmond
Pop Culture
March 27–30
Greater Richmond Convention
Center, Richmond, VA
galaxycon.com/pages/galaxycon-richmond

Manga-Comic-Con
Comic
March 27–30
Leipziger Messe GmbH
Leipzig, Germany
www.manga-comic-con.com

Anime Detour
Anime
March 28–30
Hyatt Regency Minneapolis
Minneapolis, MN
www.animedetour.com

Anime New Mexico
Anime
March 28–30
Embassy Suites Albuquerque
Albuquerque, NM
www.animenm.com

AnimeSHOW
Anime
March 28–30
Dom Kultúry Ružinov
Ružinov, Bratislav, Slovakia
comics-salon.sk

Nadeshicon
Anime
March 28–30
Québec City Convention Centre
Québec City, Québec, Canada
www.nadeshicon.ca

Triad Anime Convention
Anime
March 28–30
Benton Convention Center
Winston-Salem, NC
www.triadanimecon.com

WonderCon: Anaheim Comic-Con
Pop Culture
March 28–30
Anaheim Convention Center
Anaheim, CA
www.comic-con.org/wca

AlmaCon
Anime
March 29–30
Alma College
Alma, MI
www.facebook.com/almacon.mi

FreeCon
Anime
March 29–30
Florida State University Student Services Building (SSB)
Tallahassee, FL
www.tallahasseeanime.com

Supanova Pop Culture Expo: Melbourne
Pop Culture
March 29–30
Melbourne Showgrounds
Melbourne, Victoria, Australia
www.supanova.com.au

Game On Expo
Video Game
April 4–6
Phoenix Convention Center
Phoenix, AZ
gameonexpo.com

Midwest Gaming Classic
Video Game
April 4–6
Baird Center, Milwaukee, WI
www.midwestgamingclassic.com

Salón Internacional del Comic de Barcelona
Comic
April 4–6
Fira de Barcelona Montjuïc
Barcelona, Spain
www.comic-barcelona.com

AniMangaPop! Liverpool
Anime
April 5–5
Liverpool Guild of Students
Liverpool, United Kindom
www.animangapop.co.uk

Armageddon Expo: Christchurch
Pop Culture
April 5–6
Te Pae, Christchurch, New Zealand
www.armageddonexpo.com

CyPhaCon
Pop Culture
April 11–13
Lake Charles Civic Center
Lake Charles, LA
www.cyphacon.org

Mang'Azur
Anime
April 12–13
Palais Des Congres Neptune
Toulon, France
www.mangazur.fr

Armageddon Expo: Wellington
Pop Culture
April 18–20
Sky Stadium
Wellington, New Zealand
www.armageddonexpo.com

Kanpai!Con
Anime
April 18–20
Hilton Hotel Omaha, Omaha, NE
www.kanpaicon.com

Middle East Film and Comic Con
Comic
April 18–20
Abu Dhabi National Exhibitions Company Centre
Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates
www.mefcc.com

Middle Tennessee Anime Convention
Anime
April 18–20
Sheraton Music City & Embassy Suites, Nashville, TN
www.mtac.net

Sakura-Con
Anime
April 18–20
Washington State Convention Center, Seattle, WA
www.sakuracon.org

Weebcon
Anime
April 18–20
Irving Convention Center
Irving, TX
www.weebcon.net

Polymanga
Pop Culture
April 18–21
Beaulieu Lausanne
Lausanne, Switzerland
www.polymanga.com

AniFest
Anime
April 19
Torrance Cultural Arts Center
Torrance, CA
anifest.org

AniMangaPop! Exeter
Event
April 19
Exeter Phoenix
Exeter, United Kindom
www.animangapop.co.uk

Kelowna Fan Experience
Pop Culture
April 19
New Vintage Theatre
Kelowna, British Columbia, Canada
kelownafx.com

Anime St. Louis
Anime
April 24–27
St. Charles Convention Center
St. Charles, MO
animestl.net

AniMUC
Anime
April 25–27
Veranstaltungsforum Fürstenfeld
Fürstenfeldbruck, Germany
animuc.de

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Pop Culture
April 25–27
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Beckley, WV
www.causeacon.com

Manchester Anime & Gaming Con
Anime
April 25–27
Sugden Sports Centre
Manchester, United Kindom
www.manchesteranimecon.com

AnimeCon
Anime
May 2–4
De Broodfabriek Expo
Rijswijk, Netherlands
www.animecon.nl

HaruCon
Anime
May 3–4
Klagenfurt am Wörthersee
Klagenfurt am Wörthersee, Austria
www.harucon.at

AniMinneapolis
Anime
May 9–11
Hyatt Regency Minneapolis
Minneapolis, MN
animinneapolis.com

Anime Central
Anime
May 16–18
Donald E. Stephens Convention Center/Hyatt Regency O'Hare
Rosemont, IL
www.acen.org

Comic Con Revolution: Ontario
Comic
May 17–18
Ontario Convention Center
Ontario, CA
www.comicconrevolution.com

CloverCon
Anime
May 18
Ted Blum 4-H Center
Bridgewater, NJ
www.clovercon.org

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CoreCon
Pop Culture
May 22–25
Holiday Inn
Fargo, ND
www.fargocorecon.org

Animazement
Anime
May 23–25
Raleigh Convention Center
Raleigh, NC
animazement.com

Anime Boston
Anime
May 23–25
Hynes Convention Center
Boston, MA
www.animeboston.com

Anime North
Anime
May 23–25
Toronto Congress Center - Delta HotelAirport
Toronto, Ontario, Canada
www.animenorth.com

CaperCon
Pop Culture
May 23–25
Centre 200
Sydney, Nova Scotia, Canada
capercon.ca

Sabaku Con
Anime
May 23–25
Albuquerque Marriott Pyramid North
Albuquerque, NM
www.sabakucon.com

Thy Geekdom Con
Pop Culture
May 23–25
The Greater Philadelphia Expo Center, Oaks, PA
www.thygeekdomcon.com

FanimeCon
Anime
May 23–26
San Jose McEnery Convention Center, San Jose, CA
www.fanime.com

KublaCon Game Convention
Gaming
May 23–26
Hyatt Regency & Crowne Plaza SFO, Burlingame, CA
www.kublacon.com

Anime Lubbock
Anime
May 24–25
Lubbock Memorial Civic Center
Lubbock, TX
www.animelubbock.com

Colossalcon
Anime
May 28 – June 1
Kalahari Resort and Convention Center, Sandusky, OH
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s.mxtv.jp/anime/maousama-r/

Written: Takayama, Katsuhik
Directed: Koga, Kazuomi
Music: Supa Love

Cast:
Kunai, Hakuto = Tsuda, Kenjirō
Fujisaki, Akane = Waki, Azumi
Aku = Asakura, Momo
Luna Elegant = Suzuki, Aina
Tahara, Isami = Komada, Wataru
Mink = Suzuki, Minori
Organ = Tachibana, Mirai

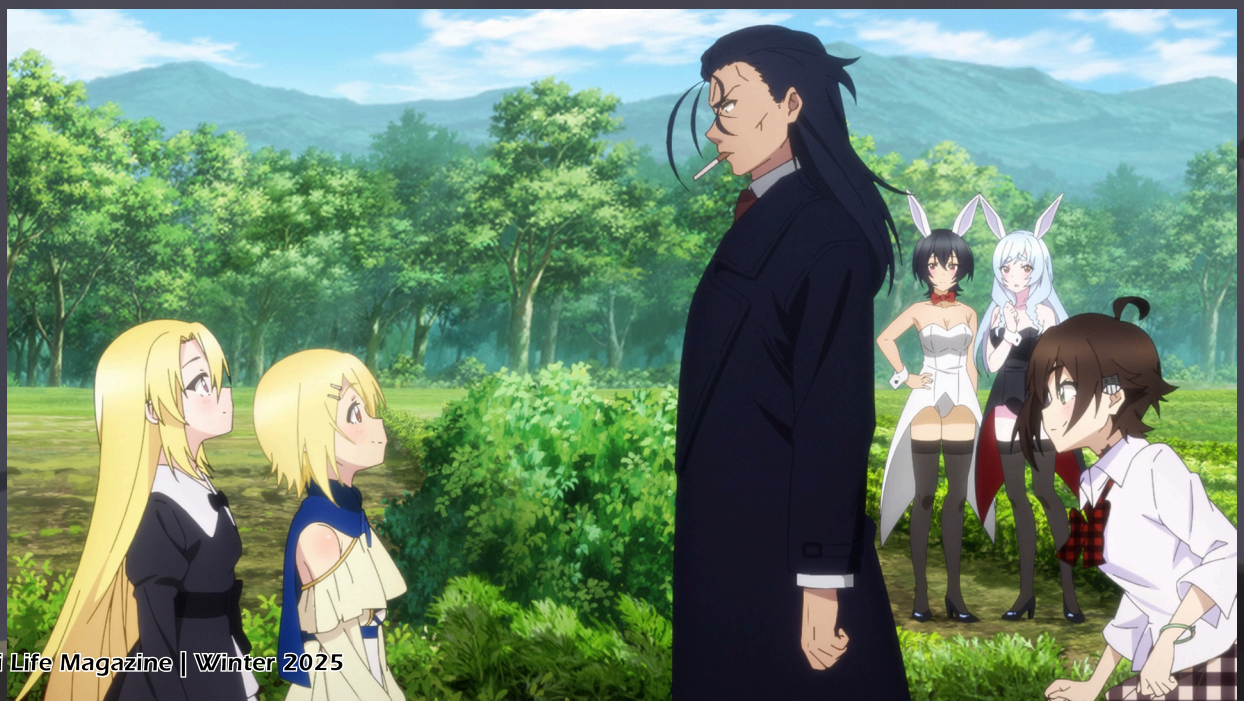
It's hard to believe that it's been five years since the first season of *Maō-sama, Retry!*. It's not too often I follow up on a second season of an anime, but I feel that I have to after watching the first episode a couple months ago. With that said, I really don't know how I feel about this season as much as I enjoyed watching the first and reading the light novels. Let's recap about what *Maō-sama, Retry!* is about.

Maō-sama, Retry! is about 30-something Akira Ōno, the developer of an MMORPG called *Infinity Game*. The game's life was coming to an end after 15 years and at the stroke of midnight, it would all end. When zero hour was reached, Akira was "brought" into the game as the 45-year-old "Demon Lord" Hakuto Kunai, his online persona. Everyone he meets, because of his appearance, calls him "Maō-sama (Demon Lord)." Hakuto has the appearance of a tall, stoic, mafia-like man. Akira takes on his personality…logical, cool and collective and plans most of his moves before proceeding forward.

The second season, titled *Maō-sama, Retry! R*, parallels the light novels in the way it presents the episodes. Unlike the first season and what's in the light novels, there are scenes where the life of Akira Ōno is told before the signing off of *Infinity Game* is what sets this apart. Akira's story starts off in 2004 developing *Infinity Game*. A few of his close associates are introduced, but their names are censored…just like in the light novel, as well as their faces. That was the same as Akira. His face is censored so we don't know what he looks like. I would assume that it's to keep the focus on Hakuto as the main character. These scenes basically tell about Akira's past as a game developer, working for game companies, how he met his current boss and what led to *Infinity Game* shutting down. Having these stories told as part of the main *Maō-sama, Retry!* Would've given more context to some of the scenes of the first season.

Maō-sama, Retry! R was produced by a different anime studio, Gekkō Production. Established in 2017, they produced recent anime like *Jīsan Bāsan Wakagaeru* (*Grandpa and Grandma Turn Young Again*), *Isekai Wan Tān Kiru Nee-san: Ane Dōhan no Isekai Seikatsu Hajimemashita* (*My One-Hit Kill Sister*) and *Tenpuru* (*TenPuru: No One Can Live on Loneliness*).

Watching *Maō-sama, Retry! R*, like I mentioned before, I don't know how I felt about it. The main difference other than the studio change is the change in the character design. I can't say whether it's bad or good, but this new character design has made everyone look more childish. I can't help but feel that this is a downgrade from the first season. Even with the way the anime plays out,

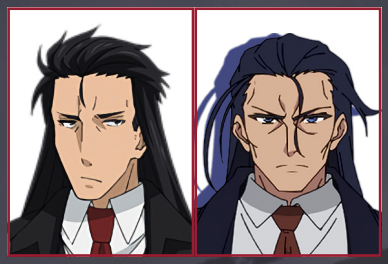


it feels like season two was created for a younger audience. The scenes where the animation switches from regular to chibi confirms that. For those who watched the first season, a few of the character roles had voice actor changes. That was the other other thing that I felt was off. After watching the first season a few times, you tend to associate a character with a certain voice.

I like the fact that there are additional scenes in the first couple episodes where scenes from the first season are recapped. It fills some minor plot holes for people who haven't read the light novels. To my surprise, there were actual scenes of violence and its outcome. I mean that's one extreme to the other…going from a "G" rating to an "R" in a few episodes. It's like Gekkō Production doesn't know who the market audience is. But in a way, it follows closer to the light novel. The first season had a few little violent scenes, but mainly sets the development of the characters and the setting of the story's world. It's after Hakuto leaves Rabbi Village, venturing to the northern lands where there is a lot more going on. Although I'll still watch the rest of the anime, my feelings about it are still mixed. There are times when I don't want to watch, but still watch it anyway just to compare it to the light novel. ❖ Ed Gomez

Character Comparison Between Season 1 and 2

Hakuto Kunai



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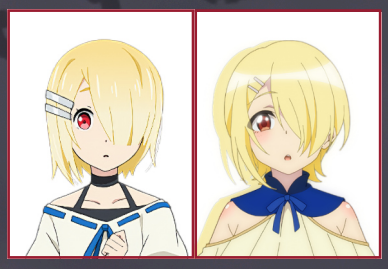

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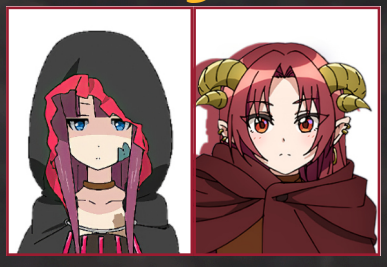

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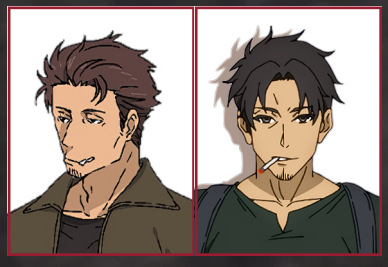

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Upcoming Anime Releases

Winter 2025

January 1, 2025
Bibury Animation Studio
Tokyo MX, BS NTV, Sun TV, TVA, HTB, SBS

Grisaia: Phantom Trigger THE ANIMATION
The Fruit of Grisaia THE ANIMATION
グリザイア：ファントムトリガー the animation

Tōka, a sniper at the School of Special Skills Training and the Michinology Garden, heads to the remote island of the Philippines for a joint overseas camp with St. Yale Foreign School with members of the privately commissioned operative training agency SORD. However, he was involved in a secret operation "trouble" aimed at destroying the weapon-sealing organization and participated in an operation to follow St. Yale's deserter Gumi. On duty, Tōka is reminded of her memory with her parents and her unfulfilled promise with her old friend, Shiho, and her treatment of Gummy. As each thought intersects, what is Tōka's derived answer? Sequel to *Grisaia: Phantom Trigger THE ANIMATION - Stargazer*.

January 2, 2025
project No.9
Tokyo MX, GYT, GTV, BS11, Chukyo TV, ytv, QAB, Animax

Ameku Takao no Suiri Karte
Ameku Takao's Detective Karte
天久鷹央の推理カルテ

Teniikai General Hospital, General Diagnostic Department. Patients who other doctors consider "difficult to treat" are gathered here. There are also unexplained "murders" and "mysteries" that even the police can't handle. Dr. Takao Amakura is a genius doctor who solves all kinds of difficult cases. A man with blue blood whose leg was bitten off by a large beast is brought into Teniikai General Hospital, where she serves as vice-director. Dr. Amakura becomes interested in the case and begins an investigation with his subordinate Takanashi.

January 2, 2025
SANZIGEN
Tokyo MX,BS-NTV, SUN, TVA, HTB

BanG Dream! Ave Mujica
バンドリ！ Ave Mujica

Ave Mujica, the band that Toyokawa Sachiko recruited members from, was a commercial success with live performances and media exposure. A girl who has lost both the friends she swore to share her fate with and the home she grew up in. Why does she take on the burden of other people's lives and continue with her band?

Her past and true face are hidden behind a mask, and tonight she once again descends into the perfect miniature garden. What we are about to show you is the story of a girl harboring a secret.

January 2, 2025
GoHands
Tokyo MX, BS Asahi, Kansai TV, AT-X

Momentary Lily
もめんたりー・リリィ

Following the daily lives of High School girls surviving in a world ravaged by otherworldly invaders. Cooking together, battling mechanical monstrosities with their iconic weapons, and uncovering the secrets of their mysterious past and world, all of these moments and more will appear in GoHand's unmatched visual style!

Yuri Kawazu, Erika Kōdaiji, Hinageshi Usuzumi, Renge Kasumi, Sazanka Yoshino and Ayame Sakuya know only each other and a world that's been torn apart by mysterious mechanical creatures. That's not going to stop them from making the most of their lives together, though! Equal parts slice-of-life and slick action, Momentary Lily will entice and entertain with its entirely distinct story and visuals.

Megumi Kumashiro & Tōka Shishigaya –Grisaia: Phantom Trigger THE ANIMATION

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Upcoming Anime Re

Class no Dai Kirai na Joshi to Kekkon suru Koto ni Natta.
I Got Married to the Girl I Hate Most in Class
クラスの大嫌いな女子と結婚することになった。

January 3, 2025
AXsiZ
Tokyo MX, GYT, GYT, BS11, MBS, TVA

High school student Saito Hōjō married a classmate. And his worst classmate in school is Akane Sakuramori, who is like an arch enemy to him.

Married life for these two people who normally dislike each other isn't going to go well, and they clash constantly. However, as they make compromises in their daily lives, the distance between them closes, they spend more time having fun together, and little by little they come to understand each other. Saito gets to see Akane's cute true side, and Akane gradually begins to realize the feelings she has been hiding in her heart. The heart-pounding newlywed life of these two who seem like they can be honest with each other but can't really be begins here!

Sorairo Utility
Sky Blue Utility
空色ユーティリティ

January 4, 2025
Yostar Pictures
Tokyo MX, tvk, MBS, BS Asahi

Minami Aoba was troubled. She had no particular strengths or things she wanted to do. Is it okay for her high school life to end as such an ordinary supporting character!? Leaving school behind, Minami searches for her own "special uniqueness." She stumbles upon the nearby golf practice range by chance. Approached by part-time worker Haruka Akane, Minami grasps the golf club—the "utility." And thus, it was the encounter between Minami and golf. Winning is not the only thing in golf! Everything related to golf is enjoyable! Together with the genius golfer Haruka and Ayaka Hoshimi, who aspires to be an influencer, they seek the moment when they can become the "protagonist!" As a super beginner, Minami swings her club once again today.

Okinawa de Suki ni Natta Ko ga Hōgen Sugite Tsurasugiru
Okitsura: Fell in Love with an Okinawan Girl, but I Just Wish I Knew What She's Saying
沖縄で好きになった子が方言すぎてツラすぎる

January 4, 2025
Millepensee
Tokyo MX, BS11, OTV, RBC, QAB

Teruaki Nakamura, who transferred from Tōkyō to a school in Okinawa, has feelings for his classmate, Hina Kyan, but he doesn't understand her Okinawa dialect, and is always helped by her friend, Kana Higa. However, Kana has a crush on Teruaki.

A cross-cultural romance that's a wee-bit different begins on the southern island!

Kisaki Kyōiku kara Nigetai Watashi
I Want to Escape from Princess Lessons
妃教育から逃げたい私

January 5, 2025
EMT Squared
Tokyo MX, BS Fuji

Duchess Leticia Dorman has been betrothed to Crown Prince Clarke since age seven. She was once a rambunctious and free-spirited child, but the strict education she's receiving to make her a fit future princess has really put a cramp in her lifestyle. Her only hope is that the prince might someday take an interest in someone else—so when Clarke shows up to a royal ball with an unknown woman at his side, Lettie is overcome with delight! She wastes no time retreating to an easygoing countryside life, but her newfound peace is cut short when the prince shows up and claims she's still his fiancée! Clarke is determined to win Lettie over and marry her, while Lettie is determined to resist his charms and escape! Who will emerge victorious in this heart-pounding battle of wills?

S-Rank Monster no "Behemoth" dakedo, Neko to Machigawarete Elf Musume no Pet to Shite Kurashitemasu
I'm a Behemoth, an S-Ranked Monster, but Mistaken for a Cat, I Live as an Elf Girl's Pet
Sランクモンスターの《ベヒーモス》だけど、猫と間違われてエルフ娘の騎士ペットとして暮らしてます

January 4, 2025
Zero-G, Saber Works
Tokyo MX, Sun TV, AT-X

Ruine, the city of labyrinths is home to countless adventurers. The protagonist lost his life and was reincarnated, wakes up inside the dungeon. Instead of a human, he looks like a kitten! But his true identity is that of an S-ranked, disaster-class monster. He encounters Aria, a novice D-rank adventurer. Mistaking him for a kitten, Aria takes the severely injured protagonist back with her to treat his wounds. She names him "Tama" and keeps him as her pet. Touched by her kindness, Tama vows to become Aria-s knight and protector.

Medalist
メダリスト

January 5, 2025
ENGI
ANN (TV Asahi)

Becoming an ice dancer was not what Tsukasa Akeuraji had aimed for when he decided to take on the figure skating world. However, it is where he ended up as he "started too late" to follow his true solo-skating dreams.

For years, he was content with being a shell of his former ambitions—that is, until he met a little girl in whom he saw himself. Inori Yuitsuka, a fifth-grader so desperate to skate that she practiced in secret, had visited Tsukasa's rink with her mother to ask for lessons. She was branded as useless by everyone around her, told it was "too late" for her to begin, and that catching up to other skaters was impossible. With a newfound conviction and unwillingness to let another passionate skater go down the same road as him, Tsukasa takes on the responsibility of coaching her and promises to make Inori a medalist.

Zenshu.

全修。

After graduating from high school, Natsuko Hirose starts her career as an animator. Her talent quickly flourishes, and she makes her debut as a director in no time. Her first anime becomes a massive hit, sparking a social phenomenon and earning her recognition as an up-and-coming genius director. Her next project is set to be a romantic comedy movie themed around first love! However, having never been in love herself, Natsuko struggles to understand the concept of first love, and as a result, she's unable to create the storyboard, causing the movie production to come to a standstill.

January 5, 2025
MAPPA
TXN (TV Tokyo)

Mahōtsukai no Yakusoku
Promise of Wizard

魔法使いの約束

A world where wizards and humans coexist. There are five countries on the continent that is the center of the world, and their land patterns and personalities vary from country to country. In this world, a big moon floats in the sky, and people call it the "Great Calamity" that attacks the world by exerting its mighty power. This is the story of the wizards who fight the Great Calamity.

January 6, 2025
LIDENFILMS
Tokyo MX, BS-TBS, MBS

Ao no Exorcist: Yosuga-hen
Blue Exorcist: The Blue Night Arc

青の祓魔師 終夜篇

Asher, the material world where humans live, and Gehenna, the void world where demons live. These are two dimensions that should never be able to interfere with each other, but demons possess all matter and interfere with the material world. However, among humans there exist "exorcists" who can exorcise such demons.

January 6, 2025
Studio VOLN
MBS, Tokyo MX

Salaryman ga Isekai ni Ittara Shitennō ni Natta Hanashi
Headhunted to Another World: From Salaryman to Big Four!

サラリーマンが異世界に行ったら四天王になった話

Dennosuke Uchimura is your normal, everyday salaryman trying to climb the corporate ladder. But then he's summoned to a terrifying fantasy world by the Demon Overlord, who offers him a new job—as one of the Heavenly Kings in his army, with full benefits! Dennosuke may not have muscles or magic, but he does have an office worker's skills and savvy. Will they be enough to keep him alive?

January 6, 2025
Geek Toys, CompTown
Tokyo MX, BS11, AT-X

Kono Kaisha ni Suki na Hito ga Imasu
I Have a Crush at Work

この会社に好きな人がいます

Yui Mitsuya and Masugu Tateishi aren't just any coworkers—they totally have the hots for each other. His helpful yet humble attitude makes her giddy, and her cuteness leaves him grinning like a fool. Problem is, they're trying to keep their new relationship under wraps to avoid making things awkward at work. But seeing how they can't keep their hands off each other, they run the risk of spilling their little secret with each passing day at the office.

January 6, 2025
BLADE
Tokyo MX, BS Fuji, SUN

Watashi no Shiawase na Kekkon Dai 2-ki
My Happy Marriage 2nd Season

わたしの幸せな結婚 第二期

Miyo, a girl who lacked confidence due to being abused by her stepmothers, moved the heart of the lone elite soldier Kiyotaka with her purity, and began to face the self she had been turning a blind eye to in the first season, which was deeply moving. In the second season, the conflict over the "Usuba blood" that flows through Miyo reaches a new stage, putting the love between the two to the test. Will the two be able to protect the happiness they have grasped in their hands? The second season of *Watashi no Shiawase na Kekkon*.

January 6, 2025
Kinema Citrus
Tokyo MX, SUN, KBS Kyoto, TV Aichi, AT-X, BS11

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Upcoming Anime Re

Botsuraku Yotei no Kizoku dakedo, Hima datta kara Mahō wo Kiwamete Mita
I'm a Noble on the Brink of Ruin, So I Might as Well Try Mastering Magic
没落予定の貴族だけど、暇だったから魔法を極めてみた

January 7, 2025
Studio Deen, Marvy Jack
TV Tokyo, AT-X, BS Fuji

While enjoying an evening drink, a man suddenly found himself possessed by Liam, the fifth son of a noble family. He spent his days carefree practicing the magic he had always dreamed of, but in addition to learning elemental magic, he also summoned spirits, obtained powerful familiars, and mastered even the most difficult spells! He became an adventurer in an attempt to gain independence from his family, which was on the verge of ruin, and before he knew it, he had risen to become one of the world's leading magicians! The free-spirited magical fantasy of the strongest noble family begins!

Hana wa Saku, Shura no Gotoku
Flower and Asura
花は咲く、修羅の如く

January 7, 2025
Studio Bind
Nippon TV, BS NTV, CTC, TVS, tvk, Sun Television, KBS Kyoto, AT-X

Hana lives on a small island, Tonaru Island, loves reading aloud so much that she holds reading sessions for the island's children. Mizuki Usurai, who senses the power of Hana's "reading" to attract people, invites her to join the broadcasting club, of which she is the president.

Having decided to join, Kana experiences many "firsts" with the members of the broadcasting club, and deepens her love of reading aloud. *Hana wa Saku, Shura no Gotoku* is a coming-of-age tale set on Tonaru Island.

Monica Bolst, Ayla Lawrence, Light Underwood, Dratena Belbury & Lena Fioria –Hazure Skill "Kinomi Master:" Skill no Mi (Tabetara Shinu) wo Mugen ni Taberareru Yō ni Natta Ken ni Tsuite

January 7, 2025
Asahi Production
Tokyo MX, BS Fuji, MBS

Hazure Skill "Kinomi Master:" Skill no Mi (Tabetara Shinu) wo Mugen ni Taberareru Yō ni Natta Ken ni Tsuite
Bogus Skill "Fruitmaster:" About that Time I Became Able to Eat Unlimited Numbers of Skill Fruits (That Kill You)
外れスキル《木の実マスター》～スキルの実(食べたら死ぬ)を無限に食べられるようになった件について～

A young boy named Light, who aspires to be the greatest adventurer in history, obtains a useless skill called "Nut Master," which has no combat ability and is specialized for nut cultivation. Eating the "Skill Fruit" twice will result in death, so there is no way to do it over again.

Having avoided the death flag, Light learns the true power of the Nut Master. It is the shocking ability of being able to eat Skill Fruits as many times as he wants!

January 7, 2025
Passione
Tokyo MX, KBS Kyoto, SUN, Mētele, Miyatere, TV Shizuoka, AT-X

Ishura 2nd Season
異修羅 第2期

After the death of the real Demon King, the age of fear seemed to have ended, but the "strongest" ones who could singlehandedly change the world have become a new threat. The new Principality of Licia declared its independence from Huangdu and used this power to launch an all-out war against the hegemonic nation of Huangdu. The New Demon King War that was sparked by these two countries ended in a horrific destruction as the Asuras wielded overwhelming power.

When Asuras who have reached the pinnacle of all abilities and races, and those who scheme to exploit them, come together in one place, fate and bad omens intersect, bringing about a great calamity that will reduce everything to dust. The second season of *Ishura*.

January 7, 2025
SynergySP
TXN (TV Tokyo)

Kuroiwa Medaka ni Watashi no Kawaii ga Tsūjinai
Medaka Kuroiwa Is Impervious to My Charms
黒岩メダカに私の可愛いが通じない

Mona is the cutest girl in school, and she knows it. In fact, she's worked hard to make her high school debut successful. But no matter what she does, she can't seem to catch the eye of stone-cold stoic Medaka Kuroiwa—but she's not about to give up that easy. Medaka, on the other hand, has been raised at a temple and was told to never become close to women. Who will win in this heated battle of wills?

January 7, 2025
ENGI
AT-X, Tokyo MX, MBS, BS11

Unnamed Memory Act. 2
アンネームドメモリー第2期

A time when five witches wielding immense powers were a symbol of fear for the people.

Oscar, the crown prince of the great nation of Falsas, visits Tinasha, the "Blue Moon Witch" who lives in a tower in the wilderness, to lift the curse he received as a child that prevented him from having descendants.

Having overcome the trials of the Witch's Tower, which is said to grant any wish, Oscar wishes to take Tinasha as his wife.

The crown prince makes a pact with a witch, and the witch becomes his guardian. The meeting of the two brings about change in the "Age of Witches," and eventually rewrites the "fate" of the world.

What story awaits Oscar and Tinasha? The second season of *Unnamed Memory*.

January 8, 2025
J.C. Staff, TMS Entertainment
Fuji TV (+Ultra)

Honey Lemon Soda
ハニーレモンソーダ

Uka Ishimori, who was nicknamed "Stone" in middle school, enrolls in the liberal-minded Yamizu High School in order to change herself.

Sitting next to him in the same class was Kai Miura, a cool, free-spirited "lemon soda boy" with lemon-colored hair.

In fact, Uka met Kai once in middle school, and one comment from him inspired her to choose which high school to attend. To Uka, the popular Kai is a distant figure. But for some reason, Kai begins to look after Uka.

With Kai's encouragement, Uka slowly begins to blend in with the class, but Uka's world is gradually changing due to Kai's presence.

January 8, 2025
Studio Comet
Tokyo MX, BS11, AT-X

Izure Saikyō no Renkinjutsushi? Possibly the Greatest Alchemist of All Time
いずれ最強の錬金術師？

Not even a hero, Takumi Iruma gets accidentally mixed in with a group of heroes chosen to be summoned to another world. As compensation for the mix-up, a goddess offers him the right to choose any skill he wishes for! Hoping for a peaceful and quiet life that has nothing to do with fighting or going into battle, he chooses a seemingly boring creation skill. However, it turns out "alchemy" is the most powerful skill that allows him to create everything from a holy sword to flying ships! This cheat skill he unexpectedly acquired turns him into a wealthy merchant and makes him undefeatable in battles! A heartwarming adventure story about (possibly) the most powerful alchemist in another world!

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Upcoming Anime Re

Tasokare Hotel

誰ソ彼ホテル

There is neither day nor night at the Twilight Hotel, where the entire day is bathed in twilight. This hotel exists between life and death as a place for souls to rest who are undecided about whether to go to the afterlife or return to this world.

The protagonist, Neko Tsukahara, wanders around the "Twilight Hotel" unable to recall her memories, wondering who she is or why she is there.

We were guided by staff to our rooms. There are sure to be items in the room that are connected to your memories. These may help you recall your memories.

As he searches for a way to return to the real world and remembers his past, he is faced with a certain incident.

January 8, 2025
PRA
Tokyo MX, BS NTV, Sun TV, AT-X

Arafō Otoko no Isekai Tsūhan Seikatsu
The Daily Life of a Middle-Aged Online Shopper in Another World

アラフォー男の異世界通販生活

Ken'ichi, a single man in his 40s, suddenly finds himself transported to another world. While wandering aimlessly through a dangerous forest, he discovers that he can use the huge online shopping site "Shangri-La." It was a "cheat ability" that allowed him to convert items from another world into cash and purchase goods in modern Japan! Ken'ichi begins a business using his abilities and tries to live a free and easy self-sufficient life in the forest on the outskirts of town, but… Girls flock to Ken'ichi, attracted to his brilliant mind, and he gets into trouble one after another. Will this man in his 40s be able to realize his dream of living a slow life?! An alternative world fantasy begins here!!

January 9, 2025
East Fish Studio
AT-X, Tokyo MX, BS11, Kansai TV

Dr. Stone: Science Future

After the fierce battle on Treasure Island, Senku and his friends safely return to the Science Kingdom. Using the petrification device they obtained, they succeed in reviving Tsukasa, who had been in cold sleep. Tsukasa becomes a member of the Science Kingdom! And when Senku and his friends discover that the base of Whyman, the mastermind behind the petrification of humanity, is on the Moon, they set out for the Moon! In this Stone World, they embark on a big project to build a spaceship from scratch. Senku and his friends immediately set out on the open seas in the Perseus to gather materials for their spaceship from all over the world. At last, Senku and his friends' adventures begin across the world and into space! To save the future of mankind, Senku and his friends will do everything in their power to pave the way for science!! The fourth and final season of *Dr. STONE*.

January 9, 2025
TMS Entertainment
Tokyo MX

Fugūshoku "Kanteishi" ga Jitsu wa Saikyō Datta: Naraku de Kitaeta Saikyō no "Shingan" de Musō Suru
Even Given the Worthless "Appraiser" Class, I'm Actually the Strongest

不遇職【鑑定士】が実は最強だった〜奈落で鍛えた最強の【神眼】で無双する〜

Ain is an Appraiser, a job that is the weakest and can only do appraisals. His fate changes dramatically when he meets Yuri, the spirit of the World Tree, and Ursula, its guardian and sage after his team left hm for dead. After receiving the Spirit Eye from Yuri, he receives intensive training from Ursula to master its use, and as he steadily grows stronger, Ain sets out on a journey to fulfill Yuri's wish to "meet the other sisters of the World Tree." With his natural kindness and newly found courage, he overcomes various events.

January 9, 2025
Okuruto Noboru
Tokyo MX, BS11

Magic Maker: Isekai Mahou no Tsukurikata
Magic Maker: How to Make Magic in Another World

マジック・メイカー　〜異世界魔法の作り方〜

A thirty-year-old man wanted to use magic died unexpectedly. When he woke up, he was reborn in another world. Named Theon, he had high hopes that there would be magic in another world, but there was no magic in that world. Theon became depressed and lethargic, but an event led him to discover the existence of magic. Theon began researching magic from that day onwards. This is the story of a simple magic fool who, while tossed about by fate, overcomes it with the power of magic and an indomitable fighting spirit, ultimately propagating magic to the people.

January 9, 2025
Studio DEEN
TV Tokyo, TV Osaka, BS NTV, AT-X

Akuyaku Reijō Tensei Oji-san
From Bureaucrat to Villainess: Dad's Been Reincarnated!

悪役令嬢転生おじさん

Kenzaburō Tondabayashi, a 52-year-old, earnest civil servant, died in a traffic accident…or so he thought. But when he woke up, he found himself reincarnated into the person his daughter was obsessed with! The person he was reincarnated into was Grace Auverne, a villainous young lady who gets in the way of the love life of the game's protagonist, Anna Doll. Just like the real Grace (Kenzaburō) tries to behave as a villainous young lady. However, due to his own experience, he is able to embrace Anna and causes his reputation to skyrocket! What's more, she unintentionally ends up raising flags with the handsome men she is trying to capture in the game!?

January 10, 2025
Ajia-Do
JNN (MBS, TBS)

Dōse, Koishite Shimaunda.
Anyway, I'm Falling in Love with You
どうせ、恋してしまうんだ。

January 10, 2025
TYPHOON GRAPHICS
TBS, BS11

Mizuho, a second-year high school student, is having the worst possible 17th birthday. She won't have any chance to get closer to the senior she has a crush on, and her parents have completely forgotten about her birthday… Mizuho thought there was no such thing as a "sparkling youth," but then her childhood friend Kizuki suddenly declares himself a "potential boyfriend!" Now, it's time to swim in a sparkling love!

FARMAGIA

January 10, 2025
Bridge
Tokyo MX, MBS, BS11

After the death of Felicidad's ruler, the despotic overlord Glaza seizes power and imposes an oppressive regime on the world's inhabitants. As Ten and his fellow Farmagia friends, command an army of monsters as you explore and battle across the treacherous lands of the Underworld, collecting resources to take back to your farm. There you'll upgrade your skills as a Farmagia, growing more monsters to nurture, and developing their new traits to aid your battle against Glaza and the Oración Seis.

Kusuriya no Hitorigoto Dai 2-ki
The Apothecary Diaries 2nd Season
薬屋のひとりごと 第2期

January 10, 2025
OLM
NNS (Nippon TV)

Maomao, the daughter of a pharmacist with an abnormal obsession with poisons and medicines, and the handsome and mysterious eunuch Jinshi take on further difficult cases that unfold in the palace. When it becomes known that the emperor's favorite concubine, Princess Gyokuyō, is pregnant, Maomao returns to her role as poison taster at the Jade Palace. She spends her days on guard to prevent another incident targeting the empress and the emperor's child. As the uneasy atmosphere continues, a foreign caravan arrives, along with an envoy who makes unreasonable demands. Even darker clouds begin to gather at the palace. A new difficult case awaits Maomao and Jinshi. The second season of *Kusuriya no Hitorigoto*.

Sōsei no Aquarion: Myth of Emotions
Aquarion: Myth of Emotion
創聖のアクエリオン Myth of Emotion

January 10, 2025
Satelight
Tokyo MX, TVA, tvk, BS Asahi

In response to a feeling from 12,000 years ago, broken hearts are connected. When the sun, moon, and Mars meet, the melody of a new union will play out!

Enoshima is a small island floating in the Shonan Sea. On this beautiful and tranquil beach, there is a private school called Enoshima Gakuen. Sakko Ōtori, Rimiya Tsukishiro, and Toshi Hatano are selected as students in a special reinforcement class called "Elements." They are ordered to pilot emotion-powered fighter planes called "Vector Machines," and are forced to fight against mysterious invasive weapons called "Mythical Beasts." At the end of repeated reincarnation, the mechanical angel Aquarion appears. The fourth anime series in the *Aquarion* franchise.

Baban Baban Ban Vampire
ババンババンバンバンパイア

January 11, 2025
Gaina
ANN (TV Asahi)

The story begins with a 450-year-old vampire named Ranmaru, working part-time at an old public bath. He desires the blood of an 18-year-old virgin, and so watches over the growth of 15-year-old Rihito, the son of the bathhouse owners.

Guild no Uketsukejō desu ga, Zangyō wa Iya nanode Boss wo Solo Tōbatsu Shiyō to Omoimasu
I May Be a Guild Receptionist, But I'll Solo Any Boss to Clock Out on Time
ギルドの受付嬢ですが、残業は嫌なのでボスをソロ討伐しようと思います

January 11, 2025
CloverWorks
Tokyo MX, GYT, GTV, BS11, ABC TV, TVA, AT-X

The work is absolutely safe. And because it's public work, the position is stable. Alina Clover was supposed to have landed such an ideal job. However, the reality was far from ideal. When Alina explodes with frustration, a hidden side emerges. She enters a dungeon solo and strikes down a powerful boss with her shining silver warhammer. She's the skilled adventurer that the town is rumored to be, the Executioner! But she must keep this a secret at all costs, because receptionists are not allowed to have a second job, and if she's found out, she'll be fired on the spot.

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Upcoming Anime Re

January 11, 2025
Zero-G
MBS, TBS, CBC

Nihon e Yōkoso Elf-san.
Welcome to Japan, Ms. Elf!
日本へようこそエルフさん。

Kazuhiro Kitase's only hobby is sleeping. Ever since he was young, he would enter a wondrous world within his dreams and go on thrilling adventures. One day, he goes on an adventure with an elf girl he became friends with in his dream world, but it's put to an abrupt halt when they both get scorched with a dragon's breath! As he wakes up from his dream, he notices a familiar figure sleeping next to him…the elf girl from his dreams?!

Join Kazuhiro on his new adventures through Japan with Ms. Elf!

January 11, 2025
TMS Entertainment
TXN (TV Tokyo)

SAKAMOTO DAYS
サカモト デイズ

When Sakamoto meets Aoi, the convenience store clerk, it's love at first sight — and just like that, he retires.

Sakamoto gets married, has a daughter, opens a mom-and-pop store in a quiet town, and completely transforms…into a plus-size man. To ensure a peaceful life with his beloved family, the legendary ex–hit man bands together with comrades to face off against the looming threat of assassins.

January 11, 2025
Satelight
Tokyo MX, BS Nittere, Kansai TV, AT-X

Übel Blatt
ユーベルブラット

Rumors stir throughout the land: when the wielder of the black sword draws his dark blade, all who stand in its path are torn asunder!

Köinzell, the mysterious young boy who carries the black sword, undeniably wields it with exceptional skill, but can he truly be responsible for the bloody rumors? Pursued by the Traitorous Lances, four powerful warriors who were thought to have been defeated by the Seven Heroes, the strength of the young swordsman will be tested to its limit. At battle's end, only the shocking truth of Köinzell's quest will stand above the corpses of his enemies. An epic fantasy on the grandest of scales!

January 11, 2025
CloverWorks
Tokyo MX, GYT, GTV, BS11, HTB, MBS, FBS, Mētele

UniteUp!: Uni:Birth

Kiyose Akira is a high school student who loves singing. His songs were released on video streaming sites under the name "KIKUNOYU."

One day, she is scouted by the talent agency "sMiLea Production" after hearing her singing voice. It was an agency established by the legendary idol "Anela" who suddenly retired in order to train idols. Akira ended up forming a group with Naoe Mari and Isuzugawa Chihiro, who were also scouted.

The three former singers are inspired by idols from the same agency, "LEGIT" and "JAXX/JAXX," and each have their own aspirations as they aim to make their debut as idols. The second season of *UniteUp!*.

January 12, 2025
Bandai Namco Pictures
NNS (Nippon TV)

A-Rank Party o Ridatsu Shita Ore wa, Moto Oshiego-tachi to Meikyū Shinbu o Mezasu.
I Left My A-Rank Party to Help My Former Students Reach the Dungeon Depths!
Aランクパーティを離脱した俺は、元教え子たちと迷宮深部を目指す。

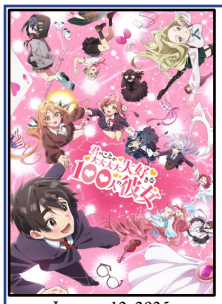
So Yuke, a red mage, left the A-rank party Thunder Pike after five years of membership. Unable to bear being underestimated, he finally abandoned his position. Yuke reunited with three former students, Marina, Silk and Rain, and joined their party. Encouraged by the girls who looked up to him as "teacher," Yuke fully utilized his extraordinary magical powers and skills, and brought out the abilities of Marina and the others. Clover's dream is to conquer the most difficult labyrinth. To achieve this, he challenges various labyrinths, but gradually becomes embroiled in chaos that shakes the world.

January 12, 2025
Lerche
TBS, CBC, BS-TBS, SUN, JNN (TBS)

Jibaku Shōnen Hanako-kun 2
Toilet-Bound Hanako-kun 2nd Season
地縛少年花子くん2

Do you know the seven wonders of Kamome Academy, the seventh rumor? The girls' bathroom on the third floor of the old school building. Hanako resides there and will grant the wish of anyone who summons her in exchange for one thing.

To summon them, knock three times. And then…-Yashiro Nene is a girl who has formed a bond with Hanako-kun, also known as "Hanako-san of the Toilet," the seventh of the Seven Wonders. Minamoto Hikaru is a boy who works as an exorcist. Together with Hanako-kun, the two of them work hard every day to restore the altered rumors of the Seven Wonders and strange phenomena to their original state. The second season of *Jibaku Shōnen Hanako-kun*.



Kimi no koto ga Dai Dai Dai Dai Daisuki na Hyaku-nin no Kanojo Dai 2-ki
The 100 Girlfriends Who Really, Really, Really, Really, Really Love You Season 2
君のことが大大大大大好きな100人の彼女 第2期

January 12, 2025
Bibury Animation Studio
Tokyo MX, SUN TV, KBS Kyoto, GYT, BS11, AT-X

The second season of the anime has finally begun! Their joy is fleeting, however, as Ukari and the others fear the slump that occurs after about three months of dating. In order to keep Koitarō from losing interest in them, they try out a new drug on Kusuri, hoping to find a new charm for themselves. However, as expected, it fails and they end up swapping bodies! After this commotion, Koitarō has a fateful encounter with Haraga Kurumi, a third-year middle school student who is visiting the school store. However, she is hungry and irritable, and her personality is just too strong.

Sentai Red Isekai de Bōkensha ni Naru
The Red Ranger Becomes an Adventurer in Another World
戦隊レッド 異世界で冒険者になる

January 12, 2025
Satelight
AT-X, BS11, Tokyo MX, TV Aichi, Sun TV, KBS Kyoto

The Secret Society Zetsuender is an evil organization plotting to take over the world. Five warriors, bound by a strong bond, stand up to their ambitions. The name of these heroes is the Kizuna Five! They finally head to the final battle with Zetsuender. With the hopes of the wounded four behind them, Kizuna Red challenges the Insulation King alone. After a fierce battle, Kizuna Red and the enemy are killed in a draw. It seems he has lost his life, but when he comes to, he finds himself in an "unknown world!" To save people in trouble in this other world, the bright red hero becomes an adventurer and continues to fight today! A story of the strongest heroes and their bond in a different world and with a squadron of heroes!

Mahōtsukai Precure!! MIRAI DAYS
Witchy Pretty Cure!
魔法つかいプリキュア!

January 12, 2025
Toei Animation
ANN (ABC TV, TV Asahi)

Mirai Asahina, curious and loves mysterious things, meets a magical girl Riko during spring break before entering her second year of junior high school. Guided by miracles and magic, she transforms into the legendary magicians "Pretty Cure" together with Riko! With the help of Mofurun, Mirai's precious teddy bear, and Ha-chan, a fairy born from the "Linkle Smartphone," they fight off the chaos that is approaching the two worlds, the "Magical World" and the "Nashimahou World (Human World)." However, this means the separation of everyone. Mirai and Riko are reunited for the first time in several months as a new sign of disaster emerges. While they fend off a mysterious enemy, the two are forced to face their pasts and their futures.

Kazuhiro Kitase & Mariabelle –Nihon e Yōkoso Elf-san.

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FINAL FANTASY VII REBIRTH, COMING TO PC ON JANUARY 23, 2

FINAL FANTASY VII REBIRTH is a new, standalone adventure set across a vast and vibrant planet. The game sees Cloud, Tifa, Barret, Aerith and Red XIII escape from the dystopian city of Midgar into the wide world beyond. To hunt down Sephiroth, a haunting figure from Cloud's past bent on ruling the planet, these unlikely heroes join forces with new companions like the spirited ninja operative Yuffie and the wisecracking, feline-shaped robot Cait Sith. *FINAL FANTASY VII REBIRTH* delivers an unforgettable experience to players filled with unexpected twists, memorable characters and jaw-dropping set pieces that longtime fans and newcomers can both enjoy.

The PC version introduces new features and customizations to take full advantage of the platform.

Lighting has been adjusted, and the game's overall rendering of light is significantly improved. The updated areas and cutscenes present with even greater beauty and clarity than before.

Framerate and Resolution - Nvidia DLSS support means that frame rates can be enhanced and image quality upscaled. There is now also support for variable refresh rate (VRR).

Textures - The Level of Detail (LoD) for

2025

background models and MIP maps for background textures can both be freely configured in the options settings. With this background polygon density and texture density can be set higher than was previously possible, allowing for gameplay with higher-quality graphics.

CONTROLLER INPUT SUPPORT

Connecting a DualSense® controller with a PC allows players to use the same controls as the PS5 version. Keyboard and mouse support has also been added, alongside the option to freely customize the controls between world exploration and combat or mini-games.

Steam Deck - The Steam version is planned to be playable on Steam Deck as well.

FINAL FANTASY VII REBIRTH is currently available for the PS5® console, with enhanced support for PlayStation®5 Pro, and will be available for PC on Steam and Epic Games Store on Jan. 23, 2025. The title is rated T (Teen) by the ESRB. For more information, visit· https·//ffvii.square-enix-games.com/en-us/games/rebirth

Saitama, Japan
Saitama Super Arena (Stadium Mode)
Apr 26–27

Bangkok, Tailand
IMPACT Exhibition Hall 5-6
May 4

Manila, Philippines
SM Mall of Asia Arena
May 8

Taipei, Taiwan
Linkou Arena
May 11

Seoul, South Korea
KINTEX Hall 9
May 15

Hong Kong
AsiaWorld-Arena
May 18

Singapore
Singapore Indoor Stadium
May 21

Sydney, Australia
Qudos Bank Arena
May 25

Melbourne, Australia
Rod Laver Arena
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Art by Randyadr

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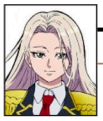

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Juiz d'Arc
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Yoshida, Ryōko
Machikado Mazoku

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Eniwa, Shī
Super Cub

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Joshua Jūkulius
Re:Zero kara Hajimeru Isekai Seikatsu

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Todoroki, Shōto
Boku no Hero Academia

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Rei
Princess Connect Re:Dive

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Ashiya
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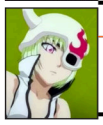

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Gochūmon wa Usagi desu ka?

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Yuno, Naon
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Karasuki, Rio
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Lord Enorme
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Takane, Tsubomi
Mob Psycho 100

8
Tanaka
Hitoribotchi no Isekai

9
Ota A (Oda, Tatsuya)
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Kai von Granzreich
Ōshitsu Kyōshi Haine

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Katase, Shiori
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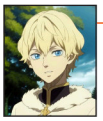

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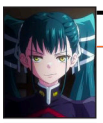

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Zagan Johnny Western
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Gamamaru
Naruto

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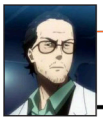
Marbas March
Mairimashita! Iruma-kun



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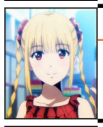

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Mob Psycho 100

Top Male Ranking†

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Natsuki, Subaru
菜月 昴
Re:Zero kara Hajimeru Isekai Seikatsu

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Bell Cranel
ベル・クラネル
Dungeon ni Deai wo Motomeru

3
Takakura, Ken
高倉 健
Dan Da Dan

4
Kurosaki, Ichigo
黒崎 一護
BLEACH

5
Saotome, Ranma
早乙女 乱馬
Ranma ½

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Natsume, Takashi
夏目 貴志
Natsume Yūjin-chō

7
Inomata, Taiki
猪股 大喜
Ao no Hako

8
Hibiki, Ryōga
響 良牙
Ranma ½

9
Reinhard van Astraea
ラインハルト・ヴァン・アストレア
Re:Zero kara Hajimeru Isekai Seikatsu

10
Rio
(Amakawa, Haruto)
リオ (天川 春人)
Seirei Gensōki

Top Female Ranking†

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エミリア
Re:Zero kara Hajimeru Isekai Seikatsu

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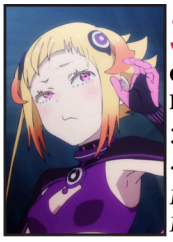

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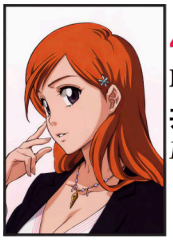

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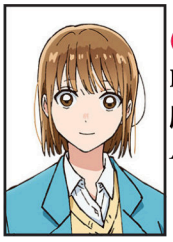

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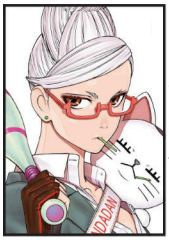

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Amagami, Asahi
甘神 朝姫
Amagami-san Chi no Enmusubi

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LLENN
(Kohiruimaki, Karen)
レン (小比類巻 香蓮)
Sword Art Online Alternative: Gun Gale Online

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駆除人

The Exterminator

Kujonin
(The Exterminator)
駆除人

Manga
December 26, 2017 • 5 Volumes
Kadokawa Comics Ace

ncode.syosetu.com/n1406cr/
ja.wikipedia.org/wiki/駆除人

Story: Asakawa, Hanabokuro
Illustrator: Asakawa, Keiji

Genre: Isekai, Action, Adventure, Comedy, Fantasy, Harem, Romance

Format: Softcover

Price: ≈¥580 (tax not included)

There's a saying that manga could be about anything. Be it gardening or loitering…there's a manga about it. Now this manga I'm going to discuss is about an exterminator…you know, the kind that goes around houses setting up traps for rats, mice, cockroaches, etc. To step it up a level, this exterminator just happened to be isekai'ed into another world. Now isn't that wild? This manga is just about that…an exterminator isekai'ed into another world… *Exterminator* (*Kujonin*).

This is the story about Naoki Komuro, your typical exterminator in his thirties who works for an extermination company on Earth. There's nothing special about him. He doesn't have any special features or powers after being isekai'ed (at least in the beginning), so he wishes he had some powers to make a living as an adventurer and he's envious of the other adventurers who are able to do so. But no, he had nothing like that. So Naoki decided to make a living with what he does best…being an exterminator. The only jobs Naoki takes on for the adventurer's guild are pest extermination jobs. It's not the typical extermination job like monster extermination, but pests like masmascals (demon rats), ghosts, vespa hornets (giant carnivorous hornets), bug roaches, etc. in this world. When there are no extermination jobs, he takes up cleaning jobs, which other adventurers tend to view as beneath them.

Naoki Komuro is pretty much a laid-back person, even though he envies adventurers. Ironically, he doesn't even like fighting. He just wants to live an everyday life without any problems, which was the kind of life he led back on Earth. However, Naoki does have this uncanny way of understanding people and situations around him. After entering this new world, he doesn't even bother to change his clothes, leaving on his blue jumpsuit exterminator uniform. On top of that, Naoki also wants to travel and see this new world.

Just by accident, Naoki does learn something about himself while he was taking on a job in the sewers underneath Kubenia. The task was to eradicate the masmascals using poison baits. He had to keep the tails of masmascals to show proof of his job completion. He puts the rest of their bodies in bags–and plenty of them, to get rid of the dead masmascals. Naoki just tossed the bags over the city walls into the forest, not giving it a second thought. As he kept doing these kinds of jobs for a few days, his level was going up. He didn't learn about this until he returned from a job and accidentally tore off the guild door while opening it! And it was a hefty door to boot! The guild receptionist, Irene, checked his guild card. To her surprise, Naoki's level was now 38! But it had only been level 2 a few days before. Apparently, he gained levels by killing the masmascals, whose dead bodies were being eaten by monsters where he threw the bags, killing them in return. Rinse and repeat. All his stats rose and he gained multiple skills and magic abilities

Profile

Naoki Komuro

Gender: Male **Age:** 30 **Height:** 172cm
Profession: Cleaner and pest control worker

Character: Humble and serious. A gentle-spoken exterminator who does his job calmly. Even after being reincarnated in another world, he continues to exterminate pests as he did in his previous life. Meeting many people once-in-a-lifetime people, he makes those he comes into contact with a little happier, but he is not aware of it. He says, "I can't take on the responsibility of someone else's life."

Profile

Irene

Gender: Female **Age:** 24 **Height:** 158cm
Race: Fox Man
Profession: Adventurer's Guild Member

Character: An employee of the adventure guild in the first town (Kubenia). She inspired Naoki to start training after his reincarnation. Not only does she take care of Naoki, who is naive about this world, but she also helps him with levels, gives him advice on techniques, and looks after him in many ways. The guild reception desk is welcoming new adventurers every day.

Profile

Ayl

Gender: Female **Age:** 28 **Height:** 168cm
Profession: Adventurer (previous job was Guild Instructor)

Character: Nicknamed "Sword Demon" Bikini Armor. A very conspicuous female swordsman with amazing skills. She is a so-called battle junkie, and the stronger the opponent, the more excited she gets. She forces Naoki to accompany her, and at first he finds her annoying, but they gradually open up to each other. Now she is a good confidant. She doesn't mind exposing her outstanding body, but it is a real nuisance for Naoki. Naoki says, "I've never dated someone, even though it's more difficult than dating a foreigner."

Profile

Tel

Gender: Female **Age:** 49 **Height:** 156cm
Race: Human (has elf ancestors)
Profession: Maid

Character: A maid loyal to her master. Since she was old enough to understand, she has spent most of her life as a maid in the slave trader's mansion, but instead of payment for her work exterminating slaves in the mansion, she offers herself to accompany Naoki on his journey. She was confused when she stepped out into the outside world, but she began to smile when she saw the warmth of Naoki and the people at the shipyard. She accepted Director Bohrok's proposal and is enjoying her late-blooming youth.

through skill points…all without fighting!

The reason that I found *Kujonin* particularly interesting is that the main character, Naoki Komuro, is not your typical protagonist. There's nothing special about him. He is not young, as with most protagonists of the genre, nor too old. He's just your average, middle-aged, blue-collar worker dropped into an extraordinary circumstance. He takes a very pragmatic approach to his work exterminating pests, analyzing the situation then coming up a game plan to execute. In his every life, he's very level-headed and chill. Even when other adventurers in the guild mock him for taking up those extermination jobs and make fun of his uniform, he pays no mind to them.

Kujonin is basically a character driven manga. It focuses on Naoki's everyday life adjusting to this new world he's been dropped into. Most of the manga is about his pest extermination exploits and learning his new powers. There are a few action sequences, but they're mostly during his travels. When he does decide to start his travels, he is joined by an unsuspected person. This person is Ayl, the guild's training instructor, who quit her job to join Naoki to learn more about him. He does meet people along the way, with some even joining him for a while. And all the while traveling, he takes on extermination jobs in towns he's visiting.

It's too bad that *Kujonin* hasn't continued past volume five. From the information I researched, the mangaka, Keiji Asakawa, did not renew his contract with his publisher, Kadokawa. What I understand is that he had a dispute with Kadokawa about the anime adaptation of the manga. It was supposed to end at the open-ended volume four, but begrudgingly continued with volume five, ending it there. With the breakdown of the negotiations, the anime adaptation and the continuation of the tankōbon manga was dropped.

Kujonin is a good read, at least for those who like this genre. The story is interesting, but in later volumes, it does become a little lackluster, although it gets interesting again in the final volume. It's too bad about the negotiation fallout because I would've liked to continue reading about the adventures of Naoki. Until I did my research on *Kujonin*, I didn't even know about the anime adaptation. Now that would've been interesting. There were even voice actors already assigned to play a few of the characters. I have a feeling that the anime would've given the same vibe as *Tondemo Skill de Isekai Hōrō Meshi* (*Campfire Cooking in Another World with My Absurd Skill*). As of now, there are no English releases of the Kujonin manga and it can only be "found" on Japanese book sites. But the story continues on within the light novels. ❖ Ed Gomez

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Yashū, Nini, Mo
Seven Seas Entertainment
December 24, 2024

My Next Life as a Villainess: All Routes Lead to Doom!, Vol. 10
Satoru Yamaguchi, Nami Hidaka
Seven Seas Entertainment
December 24, 2024

That Time I Got Reincarnated as a Slime: Trinity in Tempest, Vol. 9
Tae Tono, Fuse, Mitz Vah
Kodansha Comics
December 24, 2024

World's Fastest Level Up, The, Vol. 4
Nagato Yamata, Atsushi Suzumi, Fame
Seven Seas Entertainment
December 24, 2024

A Late-Start Tamer's Laid-Back Life, Vol. 4
Yū Tanaka, Tachibana
J-Novel Club, LLC.
December 25, 2024

Ascendance of a Bookworm, Part 3, Vol. 4
Miya Kazuki, Ryō Namino
J-Novel Club, LLC.
December 25, 2024

Black Summoner, Vol. 18
Dōfu Mayoi, Gin Ammo
J-Novel Club, LLC.
December 25, 2024

Hell Mode, Vol. 5
Hamuo, Tetta Enji
J-Novel Club, LLC.
December 25, 2024

Welcome to Japan, Ms. Elf!, Vol. 9
Makishima Suzuki, Shimo Aono
J-Novel Club, LLC.
December 25, 2024

She Professed Herself Pupil of the Wise Man, Vol. 12
Ryūsen Hirotsugu, fuzichoco
Airship (Seven Seas Entertainment)
December 26, 2024

Though I Am an Inept Villainess: Tale of the Butterfly-Rat Body Swap in the Maiden Court, Vol. 8
Satsuki Nakamura, Kana Yuki
Airship (Seven Seas Entertainment)
December 26, 2024

Am I Actually the Strongest?, Vol. 8
Ai Takahashi, Sai Sumimori
Kodansha Comics
December 31, 2024

Arifureta: From Commonplace to World's Strongest, Vol. 13
Ryō Shirakome, RoGa, Takaya-Ki
Seven Seas Entertainment
December 31, 2024

Dungeon Builder: The Demon King's Labyrinth is a Modern City!, Vol. 10
Rui Tsukiyo, Hideaki Yoshikawa
Seven Seas Entertainment
December 31, 2024

Hajime Nagumo & Yue –Arifureta: From Commonplace to World's Strongest

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I Swear I Won't Bother You Again!, Vol. 5

Reina Soratani, Haru Harukawa
Seven Seas Entertainment
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She Professed Herself Pupil of the Wise Man, Vol. 12

*Ryūsen Hirotsugu, dicca*suemitsu, Fuzichoco*
Seven Seas Entertainment
December 31, 2024

She's the Strongest Bride, But I'm Stronger in Night Battles: A Harem Chronicle of Advancing Through Cunning Tactics, Vol. 2

Gaku Singyō, Arinokamati, Won
Ghost Ship
December 31, 2024

Skeleton Knight in Another World, Vol. 13

Ennki Hakari, Akira Sawano, KeG
Seven Seas Entertainment
December 31, 2024

Adachi and Shimamura: Short Stories, Book 12

Hitoma Iruma, Non
Airship (Seven Seas Entertainment)
January 2, 2025

Mimosa Confessions, The, Vol. 3

Mei Hachimoku, Kukka
Airship (Seven Seas Entertainment)
January 2, 2025

Reborn as a Space Mercenary: I Woke Up Piloting the Strongest Starship!, Vol. 11

Ryūto, Tetsuhiro Nabeshima
Airship (Seven Seas Entertainment)
January 2, 2025

There's No Freaking Way I'll be Your Lover! Unless…, Vol. 6

Teren Mikami, Eku Takeshima
Airship (Seven Seas Entertainment)
January 2, 2025

My Sister Took My Fiancé and Now I'm Being Courted by a Beastly Prince, Vol. 3

Yū Sakurai, Kiduki Hoshikawa, Ren Hidō
Seven Seas Entertainment
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You Like Me, Not My Daughter?!, Vol. 5

Kota Nozomi, Tesshin Azuma, Giuniu
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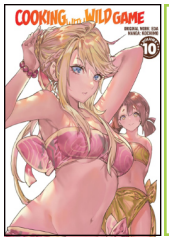

Cooking With Wild Game, Vol. 10

EDA, Kochimo
J-Novel Club, LLC.
January 8, 2025

My Daughter Left the Nest and Returned an S-Rank Adventurer, Vol. 7

Kiya Mojika, Kyū Urushibara
J-Novel Club, LLC.
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Private Tutor to the Duke's Daughter, Vol. 2

Riku Nanano, Tamura Mutō
J-Novel Club, LLC.
January 8, 2025

Too-Perfect Saint: Tossed Aside by My Fiancé and Sold to Another Kingdom, The, Vol. 1

Fuyutsuki Kōki, Masami
Airship (Seven Seas Entertainment)
January 9, 2025

Failure Frame: I Became the Strongest and Annihilated Everything With Low-Level Spells, Vol. 9

Keyaki Uchiuchi, Kaoru Shinozaki, Shō Uyoshi, KWKM
Seven Seas Entertainment
January 14, 2025

Hidden Dungeon Only I Can Enter, The, Vol. 12

Meguru Seto, Tomoyuki Hino, Takehana Note
Seven Seas Entertainment
January 14, 2025

I Quit My Apprenticeship as a Royal Court Wizard to Become a Magic Item Craftswoman, Vol. 2

Sei Shinsen, EDO, Kyōka Hatori
Seven Seas Entertainment
January 14, 2025

Most Notorious "Talker" Runs the World's Greatest Clan, The, Vol. 8

Jaki, Yamorichan
Seven Seas Entertainment
January 14, 2025

True Love Fades Away When the Contract Ends - Music of the Flower Gardens and Heavens, Vol. 2

Kosuzu Kobato, Fumi Takamura
Airship (Seven Seas Entertainment)
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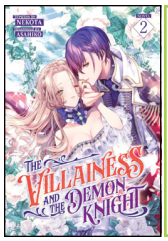

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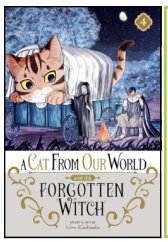

A Cat from Our World and the Forgotten Witch, Vol. 4

Hiro Kashiwaba
Seven Seas Entertainment
January 21, 2025

After God, Vol. 2

Sumi Eno
VIZ Media, LLC.
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After School Etude, Vol. 2

Hirune Cyan
Seven Seas Entertainment
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Angel Next Door Spoils Me Rotten, The, Vol. 3

Suzu Yūki, Saekisan, Wan Shibata, Hanekoto
Square Enix Manga
January 21, 2025

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Ayakashi Triangle, Vol. 13
Kentarō Yabuki
Ghost Ship
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Bungo Stray Dogs: Dazai, Chuuya, Age Fifteen, Vol. 3
Kafka Asagiri, Shiwasu Hoshikawa, Sango Harukawa
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Call the Name of the Night, Vol. 5
Tama Mitsuboshi
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Cat on the Hero's Lap, Vol. 4
Kōsuke Iijima, Shiori
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Takahiro, Yōhei Takemura
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Cheerful Amnesia, Vol. 5
Tamamushi Oku
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Haruo Iwamune
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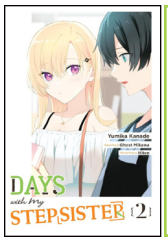

Days with My Stepsister, Vol. 2
Ghost Mikawa, Yumika Kanade, Hiten
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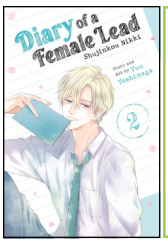

Diary of a Female Lead: Shujinkou Nikki, Vol. 2
Yū Yoshinaga
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Dogs and Punching Bags
Kaori Ozaki
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Daisuke Aizawa, Tōzai
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Akisuzu Nenohi, Sherry
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Akisuzu Nenohi, Ao Sonohara, Koma Warita, Sherry
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Shigeru Sagazaki, Tetsuhiro Nabeshima, Kazuki Satō
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Kei Urana, Hideyoshi Andō
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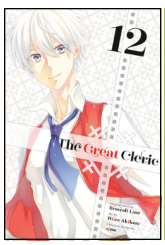

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Hiiro Akikaze, Broccoli Lion, sime
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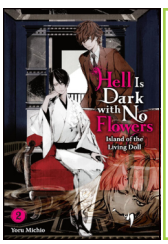

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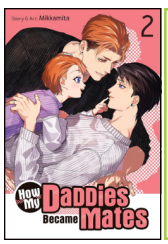

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Mikkamita
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Kōki Fuyutsuki, Masuke Mawata, Futaba Haduki
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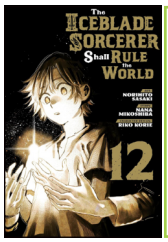

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Norihito Sasaki, Nana Mikoshiba, Riko Korie
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Harunadon, Yomi Sarachi
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Umetane, Abi, Fufukuro
Ghost Ship
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Tsutomu Satō, Kana Ishida
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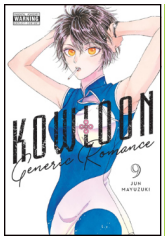

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Asaura, Spider Lily, Imigimuru
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Kaworu Watashiya
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Migiri Miki
Seven Seas Entertainment
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Shigeru Haijima, Tsubasa, Ryūta Fuse
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Mika Satonaka
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Shin'ya Umemura, Takumi Fukui, Azychika
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Red River (3-in-1 Edition), Vol. 2
Chie Shinohara
VIZ Media, LLC.
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Roll Over and Die: I Will Fight for an Ordinary Life with My Love and Cursed Sword!, Vol. 6
Kiki, Sunao Minakata, Kinta
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Shinji Kobukubo, K Akagishi, mocha
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Kantoku, Buncololi
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Shadows House, Vol. 8
Somato
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She Loves to Cook, and She Loves to Eat, Vol. 5
Sakaomi Yuzaki
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Ryūsen Hirotsugu, fuzichoco
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Göten Hamada, Takeshi Seshimo
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Shy, Vol. 9
Bukimi Miki
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Snowball Earth, Vol. 4
Yūhirō Tsujitsugu
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So What's Wrong with Getting Reborn as a Goblin?, Vol. 7
Nazuna Miki, Tsukasa Araki
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Spring Storm and Monster, Vol. 2
Mitsubachi Miyuki
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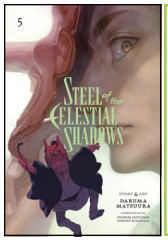

Steel of the Celestial Shadows, Vol. 5
Daruma Matsūra
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Sword Art Online: Kiss and Fly, Vol. 3
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Yen Press, LLC.
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Takahashi from the Bike Shop, Vol. 1
Arare Matsumushi
Yen Press, LLC.
January 21, 2025

They Were 11! JP Oversized
Moto Hagio
Denpa Books
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This Monster Wants to Eat Me, Vol. 3
Sai Naekawa
Yen Press, LLC.
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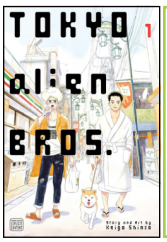

Tokyo Alien Bros., Vol. 1
Keigo Shinzō
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Tougen Anki: Legend of the Cursed Blood, Vol. 2
Yura Urushibara
Yen Press, LLC.
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Trapped in a Dating Sim: The World of Otome Games is Tough for Mobs, Vol. 11
Yomu Mishima, Jun Shiosatō, Monda
Seven Seas Entertainment
January 21, 2025

Trillion Game, Vol. 3
Ri'ichirō Inagaki, Ryōichi Ikegami
VIZ Media, LLC.
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Tsubaki-chou Lonely Planet, Vol. 9
Mika Yamamori
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Undead Unluck, Vol. 18
Yoshifumi Tozuka
VIZ Media, LLC.
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Usagi Yojimbo, Vol. 40
Stan Sakai, HiFi Colour Design
Dark Horse Books
January 21, 2025

Vagabond Definitive Edition, Vol. 1
Takehiko Inōe
VIZ Media, LLC.
January 21, 2025

When the Villainess Seduces the Main Heroine, Vol. 2
Kasai Fujii
Yen Press, LLC.
January 21, 2025

Yandere Dark Elf: She Chased Me All the Way From Another World!, Vol. 2
Sora Nakano
Ghost Ship
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Your Forma, Vol. 2
Mareho Kikuishi, Yoshinori Kisaragi, Tsubata Nozaki
Yen Press, LLC.
January 21, 2025

Frontier Lord Begins with Zero Subjects: Tales of Blue Dias and the Onikin Alna, Vol. 7
Fūrō, Yumbo
J-Novel Club, LLC.
January 22, 2025

Failure Frame: I Became the Strongest and Annihilated Everything With Low-Level Spells, Vol. 11.5
Kaoru Shinozaki, KWKM
Airship (Seven Seas Entertainment)
January 23, 2025

A Condition Called Love, Vol. 11
Megumi Morino
Kodansha Comics
January 28, 2025

A Gentle Noble's Vacation Recommendation, Vol. 10
Momochi, Misaki, Sandō
Love x Love
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Checkmate, Vol. 2
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Seven Seas Entertainment
January 28, 2025

Dragon Knight's Beloved, The, Vol. 8
Asagi Orikawa, Ritsu Aozaki, Akito Itō
Seven Seas Entertainment
January 28, 2025

Elf Sisters Can't Wait for the Night, The, Vol. 1
Kei Hozumi, Bcoca
Ghost Ship
January 28, 2025

Gazing at the Star Next Door, Vol. 4
Ammitsu
Kodansha Comics
January 28, 2025

Hitorijime My Hero, Vol. 15
Memeco Arii
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January 28, 2025

Home Sweet Home, Vol. 1
Minami Mizuno
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January 28, 2025

Honeko Akabane's Bodyguards, Vol. 1
Masamitsu Nigatsu
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How Do We Relationship?, Vol. 12
Tamifull
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January 28, 2025

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I Swear I Won't Bother You Again!, Vol. 5
Reina Soratani, Haru Harukawa
Airship (Seven Seas Entertainment)
January 28, 2025

I Was Reincarnated as the Heroine on the Verge of a Bad Ending, and I'm Determined to Fall in Love!, Vol. 2
Kotoko, Ikuto Nanase
Love x Love
January 28, 2025

I Was Reincarnated as the Villainess in an Otome Game but the Boys Love Me Anyway!, Vol. 6
Ataka, Sō Inaida, Hachipisu Wan
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Saki Tsukigami, Rena Kamono, En Tsutamori
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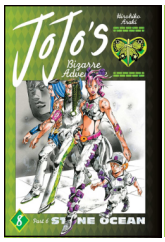

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Hirohiko Araki
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Yazin, Takahito Kobayashi
Seven Seas Entertainment
January 28, 2025

Lazy Dungeon Master, Vol. 10
Supana Onikage, Nanaroku, Yōta
Seven Seas Entertainment
January 28, 2025

Magical Buffs: The Support Caster is Stronger Than He Realized!, Vol. 2
Haka Tokura, Shin Arakawa, Eiri Shirai
Seven Seas Entertainment
January 28, 2025

My Unique Skill Makes Me OP Even At Level 1, Vol. 7
Nazuna Miki, Subachi
Vertical Comics
January 28, 2025

New Gate, The, Vol. 13
Yoshiyuki Miwa, Shinogi Kazanami
One Peace Books
January 28, 2025

Ogami-san Can't Keep It In, Vol. 7
Yū Yoshidamaru
Kodansha Comics
January 28, 2025

Otaku Elf, Vol. 8
Akihiko Higuchi
Seven Seas Entertainment
January 28, 2025

Precarious Woman Executive Miss Black General, Vol. 11
Jin
Seven Seas Entertainment
January 28, 2025

Summer You Were There, The, Vol. 6
Yuama
Seven Seas Entertainment
January 28, 2025

Suzume, Vol. 3
Makoto Shinkai, Denki Amashima
Vertical Comics
January 28, 2025

Sword of the Demon Hunter: Kijin Gentosho, Vol. 6
Motoo Nakanishi, Yū Satomi
Seven Seas Entertainment
January 28, 2025

Though I Am an Inept Villainess: Tale of the Butterfly-Rat Body Swap in the Maiden Court, Vol. 8
Satsuki Nakamura, Kana Yuki
Airship (Seven Seas Entertainment)
January 28, 2025

Toppu GP, Vol. 13
Kōsuke Fujishima
Kodansha Comics
January 28, 2025

Vampire Hunter D Omnibus: Book Seven
Hideyuki Kikuchi, Amano Yoshitaka
Dark Horse Books
January 28, 2025

Watch Dogs Tokyo, Vol. 3
Sei'ichi Shirato, Shūhei Kamo
Love x Love
January 28, 2025
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Welcome to Ghost Mansion, Vol. 1
Nebukuro
Titan Manga
January 28, 2025

Yokai Cats, Vol. 9
Pandania
Seven Seas Entertainment
January 28, 2025

I'll Never Set Foot in That House Again!, Vol. 6
Milli-gram, Jirō Yūki
J-Novel Heart
January 29, 2025

Most Heretical Last Boss Queen: From Villainess to Savior, The, Vol. 8
Ten'ichi, Suzunosuke
Airship (Seven Seas Entertainment)
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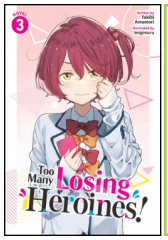

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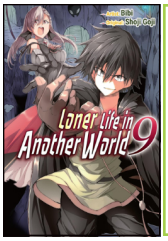

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Shōji Goji, Bibi
Kaiten Books LLC
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2.5 Dimensional Seduction, Vol. 13
Yu Hashimoto
Ghost Ship
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A Tale of the Secret Saint, Vol. 8
Tōya, Mahito Aobe, Chibi
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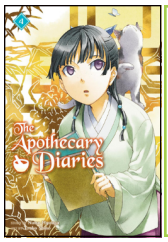

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Natsu Hyūga, Tōko Shino
Square Enix Books
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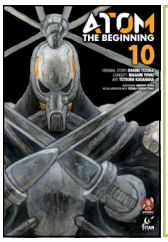

ATOM: The Beginning, Vol. 10
Osamu Tezuka, Masami Yūki, Tetsuro Kasahara
Titan Manga
February 4, 2025

Boruto: Two Blue Vortex, Vol. 1
Ukyō Kodachi, Masashi Kishimoto, Mikio Ikemoto
VIZ Media, LLC.
February 4, 2025

Candy and Cigarettes, Vol. 11
Tomonori Inoue
Seven Seas Entertainment
February 4, 2025

Cherry Magic! Thirty Years of Virginity Can Make You a Wizard?!, Vol. 13
Yu Toyota
Square Enix Manga
February 4, 2025

Colette Decides to Die, Vol. 2
Alto Yukimura
VIZ Media, LLC.
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Daily Report About My Witch Senpai, Vol. 4
Maka Mochida
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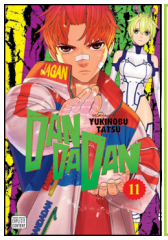

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Yukinobu Tatsu
VIZ Media, LLC.
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Delinquent Daddy and Tender Teacher, Vol. 6
Tama Mizuki
Seven Seas Entertainment
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Eden of Witches, Vol. 2
Yumeji
Kana
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Elusive Samurai, The, Vol. 14
Yūsei Matsui
VIZ Media, LLC.
February 4, 2025

Fragrant Flower Blooms With Dignity, The, Vol. 5
Saka Mikami
Kodansha Comics
February 4, 2025

Hatsukoi Note, Vol. 2
Amekiri
Seven Seas Entertainment
February 4, 2025

Heroine? Saint? No, I'm an All-Works Maid (And Proud of It)!, Vol. 2
Atekichi, Keiko, Yukiko
Seven Seas Entertainment
February 4, 2025

I Don't Need a Script for Love
Umire Konatsu
Love x Love
February 4, 2025

I Married My Female Friend, Vol. 4
Shio Usui
Seven Seas Entertainment
February 4, 2025

In the Name of the Mermaid Princess, Vol. 5
Yoshino Fumikawa, Miya Tashiro
VIZ Media, LLC.
February 4, 2025

Inconvenient Life of an Arousing Priestess, The, Vol. 1
Yamato Fujimine, Makino Maebaru
Love x Love
February 4, 2025

JoJo's Bizarre Adventure: Shining Diamond's Demonic Heartbreak, Vol. 2
Kohei Kadono, Hirohiko Araki, Tasuku Karasuma
VIZ Media, LLC.
February 4, 2025

Kagurabachi, Vol. 2
Takeru Hokazono
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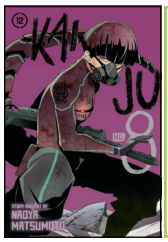

Kaiju No. 8, Vol. 12
Naoya Matsumoto
VIZ Media, LLC.
February 4, 2025

Mimosa Confessions, The, Vol. 3
Mei Hachimoku, Kukka
Airship (Seven Seas Entertainment)
February 4, 2025

Mobile Suit Gundam, The Origin MSD: Cucuruz Doan's Island, Vol. 3
Junji Ōno, Hajime Yatate, Yoshiyuki Tomino, Yasuhiko Yoshikazu, Hajime Katoki
Vertical Comics
February 4, 2025

My Contract With the Apothecary Monster, Vol. 1
Ayaka Sakuraze, Ino Manmaru
Love x Love
February 4, 2025

Aria Kisaki, Mikari Tachibana, Lilysa Amano & Noa –2.5 Dimensional Seduction

My Dear Detective: Mitsuko's Case Files, Vol. 2
Natsumi Ito
Seven Seas Entertainment
February 4, 2025

Now That We Draw, Vol. 1
Kyū Takahata, Yuwji Kaba
Seven Seas Entertainment
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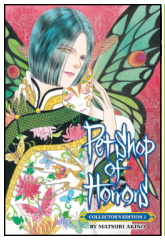

Pet Shop of Horrors: Collector's Edition, Vol. 1
Matsuri Akino
Seven Seas Entertainment
February 4, 2025

Prince Freya, Vol. 11
Keiko Ishihara
VIZ Media, LLC.
February 4, 2025

Queen's Quality, Vol. 21
Kyōsuke Motomi
VIZ Media, LLC.
February 4, 2025

Rainbow Days, Vol. 14
Minami Mizuno
VIZ Media, LLC.
February 4, 2025

Reborn as a Space Mercenary: I Woke Up Piloting the Strongest Starship!, Vol. 11
Ryūto, Tetsuhiro Nabeshima
Airship (Seven Seas Entertainment)
February 4, 2025

Seven Deadly Sins: Four Knights of the Apocalypse, The, Vol. 15
Nakaba Suzuki
Kodansha Comics
February 4, 2025

SINoALICE, Vol. 6
Yokō Tarō, Takuto Aoki, Himiko, Jino
Square Enix Manga
February 4, 2025

Snow & Ink, Vol. 2
Miyuki Unohana
Kodansha Comics
February 4, 2025

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Soul Eater NOT!: The Perfect Edition 3
Atsushi Ōkubo
Square Enix Manga
February 4, 2025

Soul Eater: The Perfect Edition 17
Atsushi Ōkubo
Square Enix Manga
February 4, 2025

This Is but a Hell of a Dream
Senko Yoshimoto
Love x Love
February 4, 2025

Too-Perfect Saint: Tossed Aside by My Fiancé and Sold to Another Kingdom, The, Vol. 1
Fuyutsuki Kōki, Masami
Airship (Seven Seas Entertainment)
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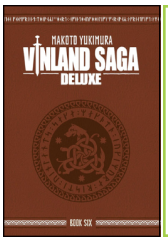
Usotoki Rhetoric, Vol. 10
Ritsu Miyako
One Peace Books
February 4, 2025



Vinland Saga Deluxe 6
Makoto Yukimura
Kodansha Comics
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Welcome to Demon School! Iruma-kun, Vol. 12
Osamu Nishi
Vertical Comics
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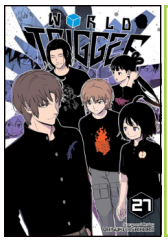

World Trigger, Vol. 27
Daisuke Ashihara
VIZ Media, LLC.
February 4, 2025

Yona of the Dawn, Vol. 43
Mizuho Kusanagi
VIZ Media, LLC.
February 4, 2025

You and I Are Polar Opposites, Vol. 4
Kocha Agasawa
VIZ Media, LLC.
February 4, 2025

Witch and Mercenary, Vol. 2
Chōhōkiteki Kaeru, Kanase Benchi
Airship (Seven Seas Entertainment)
February 6, 2025

A Certain Scientific Railgun, Vol. 19
Kazuma Kamachi, Motoi Fuyukawa
Seven Seas Entertainment
February 11, 2025

Adachi and Shimamura: Short Stories, Book 12
Hitoma Iruma, Non
Airship (Seven Seas Entertainment)
February 11, 2025

Adolescence Boy & "it"
Aya Sakyō
Digital Manga Publishing
February 11, 2025

Akane-banashi, Vol. 10
Yūki Suenaga, Takamasa Mōe
VIZ Media, LLC.
February 11, 2025

Ascendance of a Bookworm, Part 2, Vol. 9
Miya Kazuki, Suzuka
J-Novel Club, LLC.
February 11, 2025

Battle Angel Alita Mars Chronicle, Vol. 10
Yukito Kishiro
Kodansha Comics
February 11, 2025

Boys Gilding the Lily Shall Die!?, Vol. 3
Yomogimochi
Love x Love
February 11, 2025
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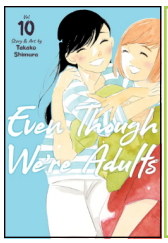
Choking on Love, Vol. 1
Keiko Iwashita
Seven Seas Entertainment
February 11, 2025

Crossplay Love: Otaku x Punk, Vol. 11
Tōru
Seven Seas Entertainment
February 11, 2025



Even Though We're Adults, Vol. 10
Takako Shimura
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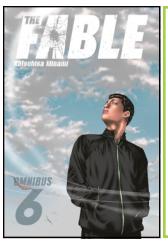

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Katsuhisa Minami
Kodansha Comics
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Fall In Love, You False Angels, Vol. 1
Coco Uzuki
Kodansha Comics
February 11, 2025

Fly Me to the Moon, Vol. 27
Kenjirō Hata
VIZ Media, LLC.
February 11, 2025

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Frieren: Beyond Journey's End, Vol. 12
Kanehito Yamada, Tsukasa Abe
VIZ Media, LLC.
February 11, 2025

Gantz Omnibus, Vol. 4
Hiroya Oku
Dark Horse Manga
February 11, 2025

Grand Blue Dreaming, Vol. 21
Kimitake Yoshioka, Kenji Inōe
Kodansha Comics
February 11, 2025

Gravitation: Collector's Edition, Vol. 4
Maki Murakami
Seven Seas Entertainment
February 11, 2025

Hayate the Combat Butler, Vol. 45
Kenjirō Hata
VIZ Media, LLC.
February 11, 2025

I Wanna Do Bad Things with You, Vol. 4
Yutaka
VIZ Media, LLC.
February 11, 2025

I Want to End This Love Game, Vol. 5
Yūki Dōmoto
VIZ Media, LLC.
February 11, 2025

I Want to Escape from Princess Lessons, Vol. 1
Izumi Sawano, Uri Sugata, Miru Yumesaki
Seven Seas Entertainment
February 11, 2025

Infinite Dendrogram, Vol. 21
Sakon Kaidō, Taiki
J-Novel Club, LLC.
February 11, 2025

Kurokiya-san Wants to Lead Him Around by the Nose, Vol. 3
Pororoca
One Peace Books
February 11, 2025

March Comes in Like a Lion, Vol. 4
Chica Umino
Denpa Books
February 11, 2025

Margrave's Daughter & the Enemy Prince, The, Vol. 1
An Ogura
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Medaka Kuroiwa Is Impervious to My Charms, Vol. 10
Ran Kuze
Vertical Comics
February 11, 2025

My Hero Academia, Vol. 40
Kōhei Horikoshi
VIZ Media, LLC.
February 11, 2025

My Isekai Life: I Gained a Second Character Class and Became the Strongest Sage in the World!, Vol. 17
Shinkō Shotō, Ponjea (Friendly Land), Hūka Kazabana
Square Enix Manga
February 11, 2025

Otaku Love Connection, The, Vol. 1
Chiyu Amairo
Square Enix Manga
February 11, 2025

Palace of the Omega, Vol. 1
Fumi Tsuyuhisa
SuBLime
February 11, 2025

Pass the Monster Meat, Milady!, Vol. 7
Chika Mizube, Kanata Hoshi, Peperon
Kodansha Comics
February 11, 2025

Pokémon: Scarlet & Violet, Vol. 1
Hidenori Kusaka, Satoshi Yamamoto
VIZ Media, LLC.
February 11, 2025

Sakura, Saku, Vol. 6
Io Sakisaka
VIZ Media, LLC.
February 11, 2025

Sheep Princess in Wolf's Clothing, Vol. 5
Mito
Seven Seas Entertainment
February 11, 2025

Sketchy, Vol. 5
Maki Hirochi
Kodansha Comics
February 11, 2025

Someday I'll Fall for You, Vol. 2
Tomo Kurahashi
SuBLime
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Stay By My Side After the Rain, Vol. 3
Shōko Rakuta
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Shiki Kishida
Titan Manga
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Tearmoon Empire, Vol. 6
Nozomu Mochitsuki, Mizu Morino
J-Novel Club, LLC.
February 11, 2025

There's No Freaking Way I'll be Your Lover! Unless…, Vol. 6
Teren Mikami, Eku Takeshima
Airship (Seven Seas Entertainment)
February 11, 2025

Tomo-chan is a Girl! Volumes 4–6 (Omnibus Edition)
Fumita Yanagida
Seven Seas Entertainment
February 11, 2025

Too-Perfect Saint: Tossed Aside by My Fiancé and Sold to Another Kingdom, The, Vol. 1
Fuyutsuki Kōki, Mago Ayakita, Masami
Seven Seas Entertainment
February 11, 2025

True Love Fades Away When the Contract Ends - Music of the Flower Gardens and Heavens, Vol. 2
Kosuzu Kobato, Fumi Takamura
Airship (Seven Seas Entertainment)
February 11, 2025

Reina, Mavis von Austien, Adele von Ascham (Mile) & Pauline –Didn't I Say to Make My Abilities Average in the Next Life?!

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Tying the Knot with an Amagami Sister, Vol. 8
Marcey Naito
Kodansha Comics
February 11, 2025

White Liar
Tomo Serizawa
Love x Love
February 11, 2025

Reincarnation of the Strongest Exorcist in Another World, The, Vol. 4
Ki'ichi Kosuzu, Toshinori Okazaki
J-Novel Club, LLC.
February 12, 2025

Strange Adventure of a Broke Mercenary, The, Vol. 10
Mine, Peroshi
Airship (Seven Seas Entertainment)
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Apparently, Disillusioned Adventurers Will Save the World, Vol. 6
Shinta Fuji, Susumu Kuroi
Yen On
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Choujin X, Vol. 8
Sui Ishida
VIZ Media, LLC.
February 18, 2025

Combatants Will Be Dispatched!, Vol. 11
Natsume Akatsuki, Noboru Akimoto, Masaaki Kiasa, Kakao Lanthanum
Yen Press, LLC.
February 18, 2025
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Danganronpa 2: Chiaki Nanami's Goodbye Despair Quest, Vol. 2
Karin Suzuragi, Spike Chunsoft
Dark Horse Manga
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Demon Sword Master of Excalibur Academy, The, Vol. 11
Yū Shimizu, Asagi Tōsaka
Yen On
February 18, 2025

Didn't I Say to Make My Abilities Average in the Next Life?!, Vol. 19
Funa, Itsuki Akata
Airship (Seven Seas Entertainment)
February 18, 2025

Dragon and Chameleon, Vol. 2
Ryō Ishiyama
Square Enix Manga
February 18, 2025

Executioner and Her Way of Life, The, Vol. 6
Mato Satō, Ryō Mitsuya, nilitsu
Yen Press, LLC.
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Fate/Kaleid Liner Prisma Illya: The Complete Manga Collection
Hiroshi Hiroyama, Type-Moon
Seven Seas Entertainment
February 18, 2025

Go! Go! Loser Ranger!, Vol. 12
Negi Haruba
Kodansha Comics
February 18, 2025

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Kumo Kagyu, Noboru Kannatsuki, Daichi Matsuse
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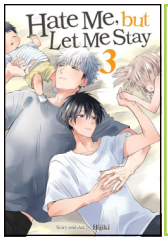

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Hijiki
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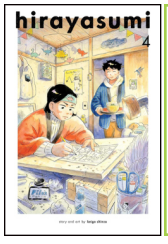

Hirayasumi, Vol. 4
Keigo Shinzō
VIZ Media, LLC.
February 18, 2025

Hunter x Hunter (3-in-1 Edition), Vol. 1: Includes Vols. 1, 2 & 3
Yoshihiro Togashi
VIZ Media, LLC.
February 18, 2025

I May Be a Guild Receptionist, but I'll Solo Any Boss to Clock Out on Time, Vol. 4
Kōsaka Mato, Suzu Yūki
Yen Press, LLC.
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I Want to Love You Till Your Dying Day, Vol. 1
Nachi Aono
Kodansha Comics
February 18, 2025

I Was Reincarnated as the 7th Prince so I Can Take My Time Perfecting My Magical Ability, Vol. 14
Kenkyo na Circle, Yosuke Kokuzawa, Meru.
Kodansha Comics
February 18, 2025

I'm a Behemoth, an S-Ranked Monster, but Mistaken for a Cat, I Live as an Elf Girl's Pet, Vol. 11
Tarō Shinonome, Mitsuki Yano, Nozomi Ginyoku
Yen Press, LLC.
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I've Been Killing Slimes for 300 Years and Maxed Out My Level, Vol. 14
Kisetsu Morita, Yūsuke Shiba, Benio
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Ice Guy and the Cool Girl, The, Vol. 9
Miyuki Tonogaya
Square Enix Manga
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New Book Release

Let This Grieving Soul Retire: Woe Is the Weakling Who Leads the Strongest Party, Vol. 9
Tsukikage, Rai Hebino, Chyko
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Lonely Castle in the Mirror, Vol. 5
Mizuki Tsujimura, Tomo Taketomi
Seven Seas Entertainment
February 18, 2025

Loving Moon Dog, Vol. 1
Nanpei Yamada
Steamship
February 18, 2025

Lycoris Recoil, Vol. 2
Spider Lily, Yasunori Bizen
Yen Press, LLC.
February 18, 2025
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meth-e-meth: The Complete Edition
Kenji Tsurubuchi
Yen Press, LLC.
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Might as Well Cheat: I Got Transported to Another World Where I Can Live My Wildest Dreams!, Vol. 9
Munmun, Butcha-U, Kei Mizuryu
Ghost Ship
February 18, 2025

Mission: Yozakura Family, Vol. 15
Hitsuji Gondaira
VIZ Media, LLC.
February 18, 2025

Mujina into the Deep, Vol. 1
Inio Asano
VIZ Media, LLC.
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Mushoku Tensei: Jobless Reincarnation, Vol. 20
Rifujin Na Magonote, Fujikawa Yuka, Shirotaka
Seven Seas Entertainment
February 18, 2025

Nakamura-san, the Uninvited Gyaru, Vol. 2
Sachiko Orihara
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[Oshi No Ko], Vol. 9
Aka Akasaka, Mengo Yokoyari
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Rainbows After Storms, Vol. 2
Luka Kobachi
VIZ Media, LLC.
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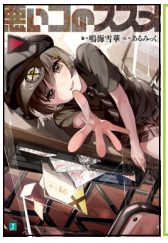
Reborn to Master the Blade: From Hero-King to Extraordinary Squire ♀, Vol. 5
Hayaken, Moto Kuromura
J-Novel Club, LLC.
February 18, 2025



Recommendations for Bad Children, Vol. 1
Setsuka Narumi, ALmic
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Bokuto Uno, Sakae Esuno, Ruria Miyuki
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Rent-A-Girlfriend, Vol. 29
Reiji Miyajima
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Riviere and the Land of Prayer, Vol. 2
Jōgi Shiraishi, Neriume, Azure
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Rooster Fighter, Vol. 7
Shū Sakuratani
VIZ Media, LLC.
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Royal Tailor: Clothier to the Crown, Vol. 3
Nakasane Nowaki
Seven Seas Entertainment
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Saga of Tanya the Evil, The, Vol. 25
Carlo Zen, Chika Tōjō, Shinobu Shinotsuki
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Saving 80,000 Gold in Another World for My Retirement, Vol. 9
Keisuke Motoe, Funa, Tōzai
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So I'm a Spider, So What?, Vol. 14
Okina Baba, Asahiro Kakashi
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Sugar Apple Fairy Tale, Vol. 4
Miri Mikawa, Yozorano Udon
Yen Press, LLC.
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Isii, abec, Reki Kawahara
Yen Press, LLC.
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The Person I Loved Asked Me to Die in My Sister's Stead, The, Vol. 2
Mizuki Nagano, Maki Yamori
Love x Love
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Too Many Losing Heroines!, Vol. 3
Takibi Amamori, Imigimuru
Airship (Seven Seas Entertainment)
February 18, 2025

Twilight Out of Focus: Long Take Part 2, Vol. 2
Jyanome
Vertical Comics
February 18, 2025

Twin Star Exorcists: Onmyoji, Vol. 33
Yoshiaki Sukeno
VIZ Media, LLC.
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Victoria of Many Faces, Vol. 1
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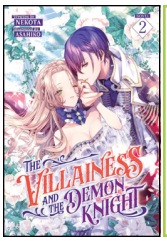

Villainess and the Demon Knight, The, Vol. 2
Nekota, Asahiko
Steamship
February 18, 2025

Villainess Level 99: I May Be the Hidden Boss But I'm Not the Demon Lord, Vol. 4
Satori Tanabata, Nokomi, Tea
One Peace Books
February 18, 2025

Wash It All Away, Vol. 1
Mitsuru Hattori
Square Enix Manga
February 18, 2025

Whoever Steals This Book
Nowaki Fukamidori
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World's Finest Assassin Gets Reincarnated in Another World as an Aristocrat, The, Vol. 7
Rui Tsukiyo, Hamao Sumeragi, Reia
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Yowamushi Pedal, Vol. 27
Wataru Watanabe
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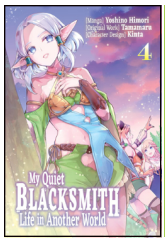
Duchess in the Attic, Vol. 5
Mori, Maki Hayashi
J-Novel Heart
February 19, 2025



My Quiet Blacksmith Life in Another World, Vol. 4
Tamamaru, Yoshino Himori
J-Novel Club, LLC.
February 19, 2025

Bless, Vol. 4
Yukino Sonoyama
Kodansha Comics
February 25, 2025

Blue Lock, Vol. 17
Muneyuki Kaneshiro, Yūsuke Nomura
Kodansha Comics
February 25, 2025

Blue Wolves of Mibu, The, Vol. 4
Tsuyoshi Yasuda
Kodansha Comics
February 25, 2025

Cat + Gamer, Vol. 7
Wataru Nadatani
Dark Horse Manga
February 25, 2025

Dangers in My Heart, The, Vol. 10
Norio Sakurai
Seven Seas Entertainment
February 25, 2025

Failure Frame: I Became the Strongest and Annihilated Everything With Low-Level Spells, Vol. 11.5
Kaoru Shinozaki, KWKM
Airship (Seven Seas Entertainment)
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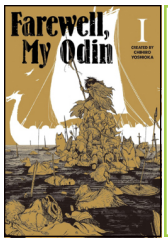

Farewell, My Odin, Vol. 1
Chihiro Yoshioka
Titan Manga
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Hauntress
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Vertical Comics
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How Do I Turn My Best Friend Into My Girlfriend?, Vol. 3
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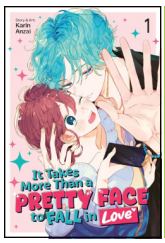

It Takes More Than a Pretty Face to Fall in Love, Vol. 1
Karin Anzai
Seven Seas Entertainment
February 25, 2025

Let's Buy the Land and Cultivate It in a Different World, Vol. 7
Rokujūyon Okazawa, Jun Sasameyuki, Yū'ichi Murakami
Seven Seas Entertainment
February 25, 2025

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Most Heretical Last Boss Queen: From Villainess to Savior, The, Vol. 8
Ten'ichi, Suzunosuke
Airship (Seven Seas Entertainment)
February 25, 2025

Nana & Kaoru, Vol. 6
Ryūta Amazume
Denpa Books
February 25, 2025

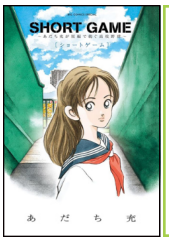
Nina the Starry Bride, Vol. 8
Rikachi
Kodansha Comics
February 25, 2025

Ottoman: Henshin Hero Husband, Vol. 1
Shin'nosuke Kanazawa
Udon Entertainment
February 25, 2025

Plus-Sized Elf: Second Helping!, Vol. 4
Synecdoche
Seven Seas Entertainment
February 25, 2025

Reincarnated As a Dragon Hatchling, Vol. 7
Necoco, Rio, Naji Yanagida
Seven Seas Entertainment
February 25, 2025

Saving 80,000 Gold in Another World for My Retirement, Vol. 7
Funa
Vertical Comics
February 25, 2025



Short Game: Mitsuru Adachi's Baseball Short Story Collection
Mitsuru Adachi
Denpa Books
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Spirited Away Film Comic: All-in-One Edition
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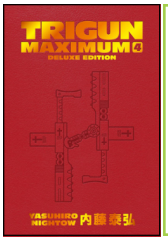

Trigun Maximum Deluxe Edition, Vol. 4
Yasuhiro Nightow
Dark Horse Manga
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Villainess and the Demon Knight, The, Vol. 4
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Steamship
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Yata-Momo, Part 1
Harada
KUMA
February 25, 2025

Your Lie in April Omnibus 3 (Vols. 7–9)
Naoshi Arakawa
Kodansha Comics
February 25, 2025

Centaurs, Vol. 4
Ryō Sumiyoshi
Ablaze
February 26, 2025

100 Girlfriends Who Really, Really, Really, Really, Really Love You, The, Vol. 13
Rikito Nakamura, Yukiko Nozawa
Ghost Ship
March 4, 2025

A Star Brighter than the Sun, Vol. 1
Kazune Kawahara
VIZ Media, LLC.
March 4, 2025

A-DO, Vol. 7
Amano Jyaku
Kodansha Comics
March 4, 2025

Alpi the Soul Sender, Vol. 6
Rona
Titan Manga
March 4, 2025

Anyway, I'm Falling In Love With You., Vol. 6
Haruka Mitsui
Kodansha Comics
March 4, 2025

Apothecary Diaries The, Vol. 13
Natsu Hyūga, Itsuki Nanao, Nekokurage, Tōko Shino
Square Enix Manga
March 4, 2025

Asumi-chan is Interested in Lesbian Brothels!, Vol. 5
Kuro Itsuki
Seven Seas Entertainment
March 4, 2025

Becoming a Princess Knight and Working at a Yuri Brothel, Vol. 4
Hinaki
Ghost Ship
March 4, 2025

Blue Box, Vol. 14
Kōji Miura
VIZ Media, LLC.
March 4, 2025

Daemons of the Shadow Realm, Vol. 7
Hiromu Arakawa
Square Enix Manga
March 4, 2025

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Dead Rock, Vol. 1
Hiro Mashima
Kodansha Comics
March 4, 2025

Emperor's Caretaker, The, Vol. 1
Ichiba Hiiragi, Aya Shōoto, Haruki Yoshimura
Square Enix Manga
March 4, 2025

Four Lives Remain: Tatsuya Endo Before Spy x Family
Tatsuya Endō
VIZ Media, LLC.
March 4, 2025

Guilty Smile, Vol. 2
Kō Unazuki, Clione, Miri Hanaoka
Steamship
March 4, 2025

Gunsmith Cats Omnibus, Vol. 1
Ken'ichi Sonoda
Dark Horse Manga
March 4, 2025

Hikaru in the Light!, Vol. 1
Mai Matsuda
Graphix
March 4, 2025

Hitomi-chan is Shy With Strangers, Vol. 10
Natsumi Chorisuke
Seven Seas Entertainment
March 4, 2025

I Got Married to the Girl I Hate Most in Class, Vol. 1
Amano Seiju, Mosskonbu
Seven Seas Entertainment
March 4, 2025

I Think I Turned My Childhood Friend Into a Girl, Vol. 8
Azusa Banjō
Seven Seas Entertainment
March 4, 2025

Invisible Man and His Soon-to-Be Wife, The, Vol. 5
Iwatobi Neko
Seven Seas Entertainment
March 4, 2025

Just Like Mona Lisa, Vol. 5
Tsumuji Yoshimura
Square Enix Manga
March 4, 2025

Keep Your Hands Off Eizouken!, Vol. 7
Sumito Ōwara
Dark Horse Manga
March 4, 2025

Killer Shark in Another World, Vol. 3
Kuboken
Seven Seas Entertainment
March 4, 2025

Let's Do It Already!, Vol. 4
Aki Kusaka
VIZ Media, LLC.
March 4, 2025

Adelaide, Mitsuha Yamano & Sabine –Saving 80,000 Gold in Another World for My Retirement

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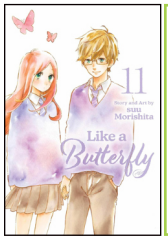

Like a Butterfly, Vol. 11
Sū Morishita
VIZ Media, LLC.
March 4, 2025

Medalis, Vol. 7
Tsuruma Ikada
Kodansha Comics
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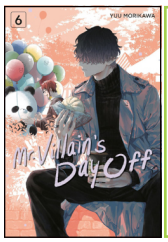
Monster Guild: The Dark Lord's (No-Good) Comeback!, Vol. 8
Tōrō
Seven Seas Entertainment
March 4, 2025



Mr. Villain's Day Off, Vol. 6
Yū Morikawa
Square Enix Manga
March 4, 2025

My Beautiful Man, Vol. 3
Yū Nagira, Megumi Kitano
Love x Love
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My Hero Academia: Team-Up Missions, Vol. 6
Yōkō Akiyama, Kōhei Horikoshi
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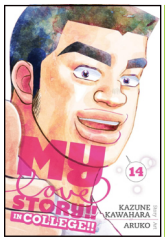

My Love Story!!: In College!!, Vol. 14
Kazune Kawahara, Aruko
VIZ Media, LLC.
March 4, 2025

My Special One, Vol. 9
Momoko Koda
VIZ Media, LLC.
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One Piece, Vol. 108
Ei'ichirō Oda
VIZ Media, LLC.
March 4, 2025

Rozen Maiden Collector's Edition, Vol. 1
Peach-Pit
Seven Seas Entertainment
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Sakamoto Days, Vol. 16
Yūto Suzuki
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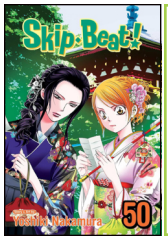

Skip·Beat!, Vol. 50
Yoshiki Nakamura
VIZ Media, LLC.
March 4, 2025

Strange Adventure of a Broke Mercenary, The, Vol. 10
Mine, Peroshi
Airship (Seven Seas Entertainment)
March 4, 2025

Succubus and Hitman, Vol. 8
Makoto Fukami, Seigo Tokiya
Seven Seas Entertainment
March 4, 2025

Thunder 3, Vol. 3
Yuki Ikeda
Vertical Comics
March 4, 2025

Witch and Mercenary, Vol. 2
Chōhōkiteki Kaeru, Kanase Benchi
Airship (Seven Seas Entertainment)
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Wolf Girl and Black Prince, Vol. 12
Ayuko Hatta
VIZ Media, LLC.
March 4, 2025

You Talk Too Much, So Just Shut It Already!, Vol. 1
Shunpei Morita, Aldehyde
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A Weaver Spins a Tale of Blind Love, Vol. 2
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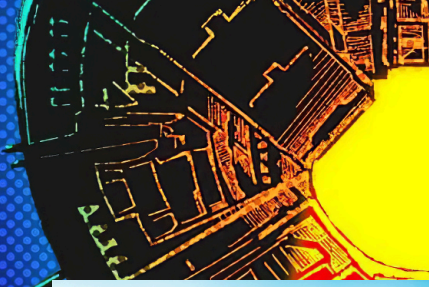
Writer: Seko, Hiroshi
Director: Yamashiro, Fūga
Music: Ushio, Kensuke

Cast:
Ayase, Momo = Wakayama, Shion
Takakura, Ken "Okarun" = Hanae, Natsuki
Ayase, Seiko = Mizuki, Nana
Turbo Babā = Tanaka, Mayumi
Shiratori, Aira = Sakura, Ayane



It was one of those days where I needed some background noise to get some work done. I usually put on music, a podcast, or some random Youtube video. But that day, I decided to watch some random anime and I happened to choose *Dandadan*. It wasn't the type of anime I normally would watch, so I decided to give it a try. Listening to it while working on other things, it kept drawing my attention. After I finished what I was doing, I sat down to rewind and watch it from the beginning.

Dandadan revolves around two high school opposites, Momo Ayase, an outgoing and gal-type girl, and Ken Takakura, the timid boy otaku. Momo happens to see Ken in his classroom reading an occult magazine. She sits by him to harass him and vent her frustrations, then leaves. Ken, whom she calls "Okarun," suddenly goes after her trying to confess his love, but instead gets into an argument with her about their views on the supernatural. To prove their points, they "dare" each other to scope out opposing supernatural "hotspots." One is a hospital said to attract UFO's while the other is an abandoned tunnel that's supposedly haunted by evil spirits. This sets the stage to upcoming events in the anime.

From here on, those two begin having wild encounters with crazy twists and turns that will keep you on the edge of your seat. The most recurring antagonists are the aliens who appear to be your typical middle-ages salaryman…all of them. That's to disguise how they really look. On top of that, for some reason, the aliens are trying to go after Okarun's "banana." This includes the encounter with Turbo Babā who also gets into the fray with the aliens and possesses Okarun. We find out that Momo develops telekinetic powers. There's the encounter with the yōkai at Momo's home and other various yōkai as well as other monsters later on. This is where Momo's grandmother, Seiko, comes in. She happens to be a psychic and is highly knowledgeable of the supernatural world. All these encounters are reminiscent of *FLCL* and *Kill La Kill* anime shows.

Throughout the show. Momo begins to learn how to better control her telekinetic power. And in doing so, she also learns new ways of using these powers. Being possessed by a part of Turbo Babā's powers, Ken also adapts in controlling it when he brings it out. But when they do, his personality shifts and he turns into a total downer. Turbo Babā joins them while she poses as a maneki neko (beckoning cat) statue. Aira Shiratori, is another high schooler who happens to join them. Her motive is to destroy Momo, who she deems to be a demon, and she falls for Ken because he saved her. Aira is possessed by the spirit yōkai of her mother. Crazy.

I personally didn't think that I would enjoy this show, but after watching the first episode, I was kinda hooked. The opening didn't do much for me, but I understand how it ties into the theme of the anime. I always watch the opening of every new anime. Sometimes openings surprise me, but for the most part, they do not. The production of the actual anime is also nothing to write home about. But overall, the style suits the show and the characters well, setting the vibe of the anime. Altogether, this anime literally was very enjoyable, especially how it mixes the scientific and the supernatural in an out-of-this-world way. It's definitely a one of a kind anime…for a more mature audience, and I would highly recommend it to watch. ❖ E. Tanaka

Seiko Ayase
Ken Takakura
Momo Ayase
Aira Shiratori

Those Who Have P

William Samples

Voice Actor

September 13, 1952 Mumbai, Maharashtra, India
January 2, 2024 Whitehorse, Yukon Territory, Canada

Tahei Hiraga - *Master Keaton* (1998)
Dr. Samuel Tillinghast - *Project ARMS: The 2nd Chapter* (2001)
Monkey God - *Inu Yasha* (2002)

Greg Finley

Director, Writer, Voice Actor

NA
February 1, 2024

Captain Bruno J. Gloval - *Robotech* (1983)
Dr. Victor Frankenstein - *Mystery! Frankenstein: Legend of Terror* (1981)
various - *Final Fantasy: The Spirits Within* (2001)

Takahashi, Haruo

Mangaka, Animator

March 30, 1947 Hachiōji, Tōkyō
January 12, 2024 Sagamihara, Kanagawa

Gegege no Kitarō (1968)
Iwayuru Hitotsu no Chō-san Shugi (1978)
Dororo (2019)

Murayama, Yoshitaka

Game Creator, Writer

1969 Hokkaidō
February 6, 2024

Suikoden (1995)
Tsukiyo ni Saraba (2005)
Hyaku Eiyū-den (2024)

Marukawa, Tomohiro

Mangaka

September 5, 1070 Hamamatsu, Shizuoka
January 25, 2024

Narue no Sekai (1999)
Mahō Shōjo Yon-gō-chan (2014)
Kemono Friends a la Carte (2017)

Ishihara, Bon

Seiyū

November 22, 1955 Kanagawa
February 8, 2024

Alexandre Bucock - *Ginga Eiyū Densetsu Die Neue These Kaikō* (2018)
Ganz - *Agarest Senki* (2007)
Kōchō - *Danshi Kōkōsei no Nichijō* (2012)

Ashihara, Hinako

Mangaka

January 25, 1974 Hyōgo
January 29, 2024 Nikkō, Tochigi

Girls Lesson (1995)
SOS (2003)
Sexy Tanaka-san (2017)

Mark Merlino

Organizer, Influencer, Writer

May 12, 1952
February 20,2024 Garden Grove, CA

Cartoon/Fantasy Organization (C/FO) (1977)
ConFurence (1989)

Passed

Maeda, Masa'aki

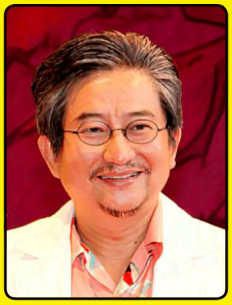
Actor, Seiyū
July 6, 1932 Kōfu, Yamanashi
February 27, 2024

Shōgorō, Yano - *Seishun Anime Zenshu* (1986)
Dr. Tokita - *Yoroiden Samurai Troopers* (1988)
Carozzo "Iron Mask" Ronah - *Kidō Senshi Gundam F91* (1991)

Inomata, Mutsumi

Illustrator, Animator
December 23, 1960 Kanagawa
March 10, 2024

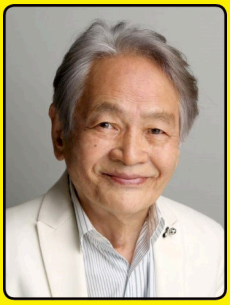
Urusei Yatsura (1981)
Kidō Senshi Gundam SEED (2002)
Tales of Zestiria the X (2016)



Toriyama, Akira

Mangaka
April 5, 1955 Kiyosu, Aichi
March 1, 2024

Dr. Slump (1978)
Dragon Ball (1983)
Dragon Quest (1986)



Terada, Minori

Seiyū
November 7, 1942 Tōkyō
March 14, 2024

Colonel Muska - *Tenkū no Shiro Laputa* (1986)
Ōkōchi, Masatoshi - *Teito Monogatari* (1988)
Asakura, Sui - *Ultraman Geed* (2017)

TARAKO

Seiyū, Singer
December 17, 1960 Ōta, Gunma
March 4, 2024

Madge - *Tenkū no Shiro Laputa* (1986)
Sakura, Momoko "Maruko" - *Chibi Maruko-chan* (1990)
Senritsu - *Hunter X Hunter* (1999)

Yukinaga, Chicchi

Mangaka
June 28
March 25, 2024

Rocopon (2021)
Satsudō (2023)

Asai, Yū

Mangaka
NA
March 6, 2024

Lovin' You (1988)
Hoshi no Kazu dake Dakishimete (1993)
Kakeru-kun Wake up!! (1996)

David Kent Underwood II

Voice Actor
December 28, 1966
April 6, 2024

Talos - *Crusher Joe: The OVA's* (1997)
Colonel Jackson Moreno - *Virtua Fighter* (2000)
Chief - *You're Under Arrest* (2003)

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Muramatsu, Yasuo

Seiyū
April 6, 1933 Tōkyō
April 11, 2024

Neil - *Document Taiyou no Kiba Dougram* (1983)
Jeffrey White-Sōsai - *Chōjikū Seiki Orguss* (1983)
Ado Chojuin, Morijun - *Shinshaku Sengoku Eiyū Densetsu - Sanada Jū Yūshi The Animation* (2005)

Umezu, Hideyuki

Seiyū
July 24, 1955 Aichi
May 17, 2024

David Rutherford - *Aoki Ryūsei SPT Layzner* (1985)
Ian Vashti - *Kidō Senshi Gundam Double O* (2007)
Goenitz - *Uchū Senkan Yamato 2202: Ai no Senshi-tachi* (2017)

Reita

Musician
May 27, 1981 Kanagawa
April 15, 2024

The Gazette
"SHIVER" - *Kuroshitsuji II* (2010)

Nakao, Akira

Actor
August 11, 1942 Chiba
May 16, 2024

Uchiyamada, Hiroshi - *Great Teacher Onizuka* (1998)
Igarashi, Hayato - *Godzilla tai Mechagodzilla* (2002)
Genda, Ryūzo - *Lost Judgment* (2021)

Seki, Taka'aki

Seiyū
November 5, 1969 Ōsaka
April 15, 2024

Anton Lucas - *Golgo 13* (2008)
Shūtarō, Kiba - *Mōryō no Hako* (2008)
Ogata - *Tōkyō Gūru: Jack* (2015)

Masuyama, Eiko

Seiyū
April 22, 1936 Tōkyō
May 20, 2024

Mine, Fujiko - *Lupin Sansei* (1977)
Ribon-chan - *Dr. Slump* (1981)
Princess Snow Kaguya - *Gekijō-ban Bishōjo Senshi Sailor Moon Super* (1994)

Yamamoto, Keiko

Seiyū
August 7, 1940 Ōsaka
April 18, 2024

Choromatsu - *Osomatsu-kun* (1966)
Kinkotsu-Obaba - *Kinnikuman: Haresugata! Seigi Chōjin* (1985)
Sunakake Baba - *Gegege no Kitarō* (1996)

Shigino, Akira

Director
January 19, 1954 Muroran, Hokkaidō
May 30, 2024

Chō Kōsoku Galvion (1984)
Osomatsu-kun: Iyami wa Hitori Kaze no Naka (1990)
Viewtiful Joe (2004)

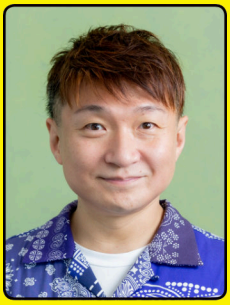
Passed

Sasaya, Nanaeko

Mangaka

January 31, 1950 Ashibetsu, Hokkaidō
June 8, 2024

Okame Hachimoku (1998)
Oya ni Naruhodo Muzukashii Koto wa Nai (1994)
Kōritsuita Me (1996)



Matsuno, Taiki

Seiyū

October 16, 1967 Tōkyō
June 26, 2024

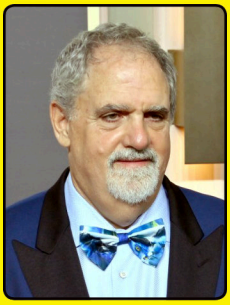
Pegasus/Helios - *Bishōjo Senshi Sailor Moon Super S* (1995)
Kōga - *Inu Yasha* (2000)
Manjōme, Jun - *Yu-Gi-Oh! Duel Monster GX* (2004)

Yamashita, Keisuke

Actor, Voice Actor

September 25, 1941 Tōkyō
June 8, 2024

Redof Hiss - *Uchū Senkan Yamato* (1974)
Dan Araiso - *Yūsha Reideen* (1975)
Ralmophan - *Dirty Pair Flash* (1995)

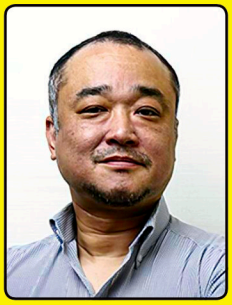


Jon Landau

Producer

July 23, 1960, New York, NY
July 5, 2024 Los Angeles, CA

Alita: Battle Angel (2019)

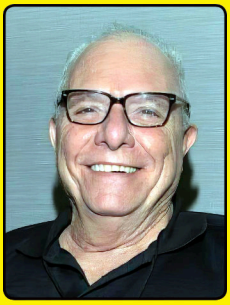


Ōmori, Hiroyuki

Producer

NA
June 17, 2024

Comic Party: Revolution (2005)
Hōkago no Pleiades (2015)
Dungeon ni Deai o Motomeru no wa Machigatteiru Darō ka Familia Myth II (2019)



Thomas Halperin Weiner

Voice Actor

June 16, 1947 Hollywood, CA
July 10, 2024 Redlands, CA

Grimlock - *Transformers: Robots in Disguise* (2001)
Col. Jonathan Wolfe - *Robotech* (1985)
M. Bison - *Street Fighter II V* (1996)

Miwa, Katsue

Seiyū

October 12, 1943 Ōsaka
June 19, 2024

Unico - *Unico: Mahō no Shima e* (1983)
Fukusuke - *Robot Carnival* (1987)
Kaiba, Mokuba - *Yu-Gi-Oh! Yami no Games* (1998)

Ohara, Noriko

Seiyū

October 2, 1935 Tōkyō
July 12, 2024

Mime - *Uchū Kaizoku Captain Harlock* (1978)
Nobi, Nobita - *Doraemon* (1979)
Claudia LaSalle - *Chōjikū Yōsai Macross* (1982)

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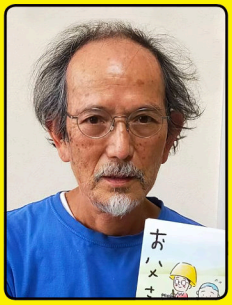


Yadama, Shirō

Author

February 3, 1944

July 14, 2024

Hare Tokidoki Buta (1980)

Aida, Saki

Novelist

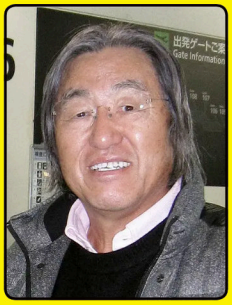
January 3 Ōsaka

August 27, 2024

S (2005)

Deadlock (2012)

Kokū no Tsuki (2022)



Sakata, Nobuhiro

Mangaka

October 11, 1947 Kumamoto

July 22, 2024

Naoko (1994)

Dan Doh!! (1995)

Taishi - *Harukanaru Michi* (2001)

Manabe, Toshiyuki

Seiyū

December 24, 1991

September 2, 2024

Level 1 dakedo Unique Skill de Saikyō desu (2023)

Uzaki-chan wa Asobitai! ω (2022)

Kakkō no Iinazuke (2022)

Rachael Lillis

Voice Actress

July 8, 1969 Niagara Falls, NY

August 10, 2024

Misty - *Pokémon* (1998)

Ohno, Kanako - *Genshiken* (2005)

Micott Bartsch - *Mobile Suit Gundam Unicorn RE:0096* (2016)

Midō, Kazuhiko

Mangaka

December 17, 1961 Shizuoka

September 4, 2024

Ranchiki DAY by DAY (1981)

Radical Dreamin' (1985)

Ultra Ninpōchō (1992)

Tanaka, Atsuko

Seiyū

November 14, 1962 Maebashi, Gunma

August 20, 2024

Kusanagi, Motoko - *Ghost in the Shell: Stand Alone Complex* (2002)

Amida Arca - *Kidō Senshi Gundam: Tekketsu no Orphans* (2015)

Flamme - *Sōsō no Frieren* (2023)

Peter Renaday

Voice Actor

June 9, 1935 New Iberia, LA

September 8, 2024

Grapple - Transformers (1984)

Cajun - Ultraman USA (1991)

Passed

Shinohara, Emi

Seiyū
August 8, 1963 Nagano
September 8, 2024
Daitokuji, Biko "B-Ko" - *Project A-ko* (1986)
Kino, Makoto (Sailor Jupiter) - *Bishōjo Senshi Sailor Moon* (1992)
Izumi, Motoko - *Kawaii Dake Ja Nai Shikimori-san* (2022)

Ōyama, Nobuyo

Seiyū
October 16, 1933 Ebisu, Shibuya, Tōkyō
September 29, 2024
Isono, Katsuo - *Sazae-san* (1969)
Hazedon - *Hazedon* (1972)
Doraemon - *Doraemon* (1979)

Shibutani, Yukihiro

Art Director, Artist
November 26, 1960 Tsuruta, Aomori
September 15, 2024 Tōkyō
Space Adventure Cobra (1982)
Meitantei Conan (1996)
Natsume Yūjin-Chō (2008)

Pierre Christin

Writer
July 27, 1938 Saint-Mandé, France
October 3, 2024 Paris, France
Valérian et Laureline (1967 comic)
Valérian et Laureline (2007 anime)

Kurihashi, Shinsuke

Mangaka
December 25, 1964 Hiroshima
September 16, 2024
Dungeon Master (1993)
Mugen no Ryvius (2000)
Occhan Bokensha no Sen-ya Ichi-ya (2021)

Doc Harris (Gilbert Auchinleck)

Voice Actor
August 3, 1948
October 5, 2024 Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada
Jeke - *Green Legend Ran* (1994)
Narrator - *Dragon Ball Z* (1996)
Genki - *Monster Rancher* (1999)

Sayuri

Singer, Songwriter
June 7, 1996 Fukuoka
September 20, 2024
"Tsuki to Hanataba" - *Fate/Extra Last Encore* (2018)
"Koukai no Uta" - *Boku no Hero Academia* (2019)
"Sekai no Himitsu" - *Edens Zero* (2021)

Ikeda, Shigemi

Art Director
November 5, 1954 Shinjuku, Tōkyō
October 13, 2024
Kidō Senshi Gundam ZZ (1986)
GANTZ (2004)
OnePunch-Man (2015)

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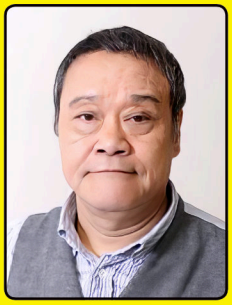
Nakagawa, Rieko
Writer
September 29, 1935 Sapporo, Hokkaidō
October 14, 2024
Tonari no Totoro (1988)
Kujiratori (2002)
Takara-Sagashi (2011)

Kōno, Ryō
Art Director
NA
October 23, 2024
BECK (2004)
Space Dandy (2014)
Mob Psycho 100 (2016)

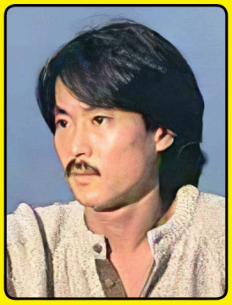
Danny L. Mandia
Dubbing Director
August 23, 1954 Boac, Marinduque, Philippines
October 16, 2024
Voltes V (2006)
The Familiar of Zero (2006)
Log Horizon (2013)

Umezu, Kazuo
Mangaka
September 3, 1936 Kōya
October 28, 2024 Kichijōji, Tōkyō
Ultraman (1966)
Hyōryū Kyōshitsu (1972)
Watashi wa Shingo (1982)



Nishida, Toshiyuki
Actor
November 4, 1946 Kōriyama, Fukushima
October 17, 2024
Tabuchi, Kōichi - *Ganbare!! Tabuchi-kun!!* (1979)
Wa-Nyūdō - *Kitaro* (2007)
Tokugawa, Hikozaemon - *Space Battleship Yamato* (2010)

Kita, Michie
Seiyū
March 11, 1935 Tōkyō
November 6, 2024
Takahara, Makoto - *Kagaku Ninja-tai Gatchaman* (1972)
Nello - *Flanders no Inu* (1975)
Hana - *Natsume Yūjin-Chō* (2008)



Kimura, Noboru "Harry"
Singer, Songwriter
1952
October 18, 2024
Lupin Sansei: Part II (1977)
Kagaku Kyūjo Tai Techno Voyger (1982)
Mirai Keisatsu Urashima (1983)

Tony Todd
Voice Actor
December 4, 1954 Washington, D.C.
November 6, 2024
Narrator - *The Legend of Dragoon* (2000)
The Fallen - *Transformers: Revenge of the Fallen* (2009)
Dreadwing - *Transformers Prime* (2010)

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Yanagisawa, Eiji

Seiyū
August 22, 1967 Tōkyō
November 12, 2024
Tanei Okumura - *Meitantei Konan*(1996)
Morimura, Kiyosumi - *Suzumiya Haruhi no Yūutsu* (2006)
Roman - *Tales of Zestiria* (2015)

Hori, Junko

Seiyū
February 2, 1935 Mukden, Liaoning, Manchukuo (Shenyang, China)
November 18, 2024
Mifune, Kurio - *Mach GōGōGō* (1967)
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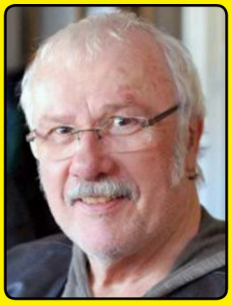
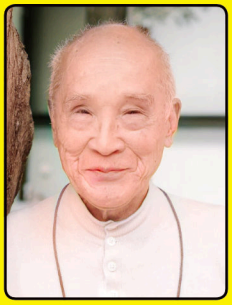


Dan Hennessey

Voice Actor, ADR Director
September 11, 1942 New Jersey
Novebmer 13, 2024 Kitchener-Waterloo, Ontario, Canada
Saint Seiya (2003)
Air Master (2005)
Slam Dunk (2005)

Takeishi, Rieko

Mangaka
NA
November 24, 2024
Reiko-san ga Iku (1978)
Uchi no Fusaku (1984)
Flying Saucer (1985)



Tanigawa, Shuntarō

Song Writer, Writer
December 15, 2931 Suginami, Tōkyō
November 13, 2024
Tetsuwan Atom (1963)
Hi no Tori - Reimei hen (1978)
Howl no Ugoku Shiro (2004)

Morgan Lofting

Voice Actor
February 2, 1940 Cincinnati, OH
November 27, 2024 Burbank, CA
Princess Invidia - *Star Blazers: The Comet Empire* (1980)
Dr. Harding - *Transformers* (1984)
Countess Upstuck - *Button Nose* (1994)

Hino, Shōhei

Actor, Seiyū
May 30, 1949 Tōkyō
November 14, 2024 Tōkyō
Ōoji - *Kimi-tachi wa Dō Ikiru ka* (2023)
Tsurugi, Yoshirō - *Watashi no Shiawase na Kekkon* (2023)

Jan Scott-Frazier

Producer, Writer, Translator
March 22, 1965
December 3, 2024
Bubblegum Crash (1994)
Kimagure Orange Road (1998)
S-CRY-ed (2003)

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Blu-ray/DVD Combo • $39.98

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Deaf Crocodile
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Crunchyroll
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Blu-ray/DVD Combo • *$69.98*

The Rising of the Shield Hero: Season 3 Collection (LE)
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Who's That Seiyū ?

Hayami, Saori

早見 沙織

DOB: May 29, 1991
Tōkyō

Blood Type: A

Current Roles…

Honjō ji, Rika
Kekkon Surutte, Hontō desu ka?

Angelica
Hitoribotchi no Isekai Kōryaku

Takao, Hijiri
Hazure Waku no "Jōtai Ijō Skill" de Saikyō

Nazo no Josei
Nozomanu Fushi no Bōkensha

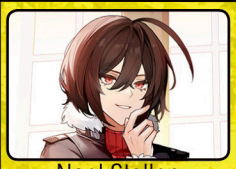
Yamashita, Daiki

山下 大輝

DOB: September 7, 1990
Shizuoka

Blood Type: NA

Current Roles…



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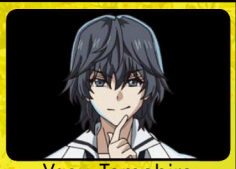
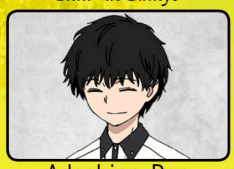
Saikyō no Shienshoku "Wajutsushi" dearu Ore



Yasu, Tomohiro
Hazure Waku no "Jōtai Ijō Skill" de Saikyō

Nikoyama, Kazuo
Kabushiki Gaisha Magilumiere



Adashino, Ren
Kaii to Otome to Kamikakushi

Kumagai, Kentarō

熊谷 健太郎

DOB: February 16, 1994
Saitama

Blood Type: A

Current Roles…

Ohara, Takuya
Kekkon Surutte, Hontō desu ka?

Kirisame, Zero
Demon Lord, Retry!

Kuro-chan
Kono Sekai wa Fukanzen Sugiru

Sōma, Hayato
Tasūketsu

Mizuki, Nana

水樹 奈々

DOB: January 21, 1980
Niihama, Ehime

Blood Type: O

Current Roles…

Ayase, Seiko
Dan Da Dan

Anekōji, Mahiru
Amagami-san Chi no Enmusubi

Alice Summerwood
Highspeed Étoile

Manaria Sousse
Watashi no Oshi wa Akuyaku Reijō

Wakayama, Shion

若山 詩音

DOB: February 10, 1998
Chiba

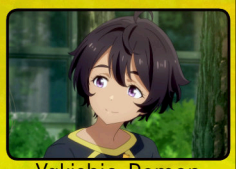
Blood Type: O

Current Roles…

Ayase, Momo
Dan Da Dan

Amagami, Asahi
Amagami-san Chi no Enmusubi

Nanahoshi, Shizuka
Mushoku Tensei: Isekai Ittara Honki Dasu



Yakishio, Remon
Make Hiroin ga Ōsugiru!

Ono, Kenshō

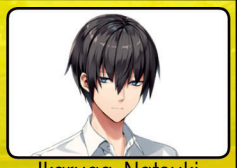
小野 賢章

DOB: October 5, 1989
Fukuoka

Blood Type: A

Current Roles…

Raust
Party kara Tsuihō Sareta Sono Chiyushi



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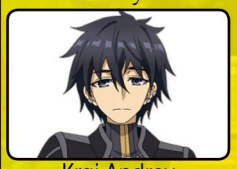
ATRI -My Dear Moments-



Krai Andrey
Nageki no Bōrei wa Intai Shitai

Shin
The New Gate

Autumn 2024

Yamaguchi, Kappei

山口 勝平

DOB: May 23, 1965
Fukuoka

Blood Type: B

Current Roles…

Saotome, Ranma
Ranma ½

InuYasha
Han'yō no Yashahime

Yangū, Shigekiyo
JoJo no Kimyō na Bōken Diamond wa Kudakenai

Kuma
Persona 4: The Golden Animation

Maeda, Kaori

前田 佳織里

DOB: April 25, 1996
Kitakyushu, Fukuoka

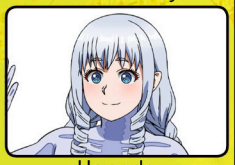
Blood Type: A

Current Roles…

Narusena
Party kara Tsuihō Sareta Sono Chiyushi

Takao, Itsuki
Hazure Waku no "Jōtai Ijō Sukiru" de Saikyō

Amano, Ririsa
Nitengo-jigen no Ririsa



Honeda
Erufu-san wa Yaserarenai

Waki, Azumi

和氣 あず未

DOB: September 8, 1994
Tōkyō

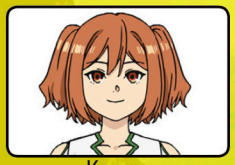
Blood Type: O

Current Roles…

Jill Cervel
Yarinaoshi Reijō wa Ryūtei Heika o Kōryaku-chū

Fujisaki, Akane
Demon Lord, Retry! R

Lilith
Maō-gun Saikyō no Majutsushi wa Ningen



Kanne
Sōsō no Frieren

Umeda, Shū'ichirō

梅田修一朗

DOB: October 11, 1995
Chiba

Blood Type: NA

Current Roles…

Haruka
Hitoribotchi no Isekai Kōryaku

Chadley
Final Fantasy VII: Rebirth

Hanaoka, Makoto
Senpai wa Otokonoko

Tokumitsu, Shintarō
One Room, Hiatari Futsū, Tenshi-tsuki

Serizawa, Yū

芹澤 優

DOB: December 3, 1994
Tōkyō

Blood Type: NA

Current Roles…

Alma Judikhali
Saikyō no Shienshoku "Wajutsushi" dearu Ore

Kushida, Miyabi
Nanare Hananare

Super Mina
Boku no Tsuma wa Kanjō ga nai

Rae Taylor
Watashi no Oshi wa Akuyaku Reijō

Shiraishi, Haruka

白石 晴香

DOB: April 8, 1995
Tōkyō

Blood Type: AB

Current Roles…

Tsuyuri, Tōka Iinchō
Hitoribotchi no Isekai Kōryaku

Takeda, Makoto
Amagami-san Chi no Enmusubi

Jeanne E. Anis
Naze Boku no Sekai wo Dare mo Oboeteinainoka?

Cyan Bluestar
Metallic Rouge

is
an

Occu

Hobbie

Zodiac:

What is list
information
her briefly

Jianyan is a fen
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cast, of course, som
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ological and health kn
blog, and she also has
pictures she took are a
legal. She has a petite fig
and temperament, and a g
very hot!

COSPLAY PROFILE: JIANYAN

Today I will introduce a video blogger, she is also a professional cosplay blogger, dual identity, which shows that she is quite capable. Generally, girls who have been video blogger are those who are good at talking. For example, Jianyan has been blogging for so long, she looks quite smart, and she can sing and dance. The most important thing that she has a soft and mature figure, very cute d deeply attracts the attention of men.

upation: Cosplay & Video Blogger

es: Anime, League of Legends

Aquarius

ted above are just some brief personal . If you like her, you can get to know

male video blogger, so she doesn't S works, and the speed of updat- not very fast, a little slow. I guess Jianyan are all for her live broad- he people follow her because s. I saw her popularizing physi- nowledge during the video a perfect sexy body. The little bit explicit, but not il- gure, a royal sister style graceful curve that is

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“CHRYSALIS’ DAYDREAM”

PSYCHE

“There are only a few measly trees in front of the house. They look so sad and lonely, so I thought to plant some white flowers there, such as wild lilies, anemone and dryas. What do you think?”

DUET NIGHT ABYSS

HYPERBOREAN EMPIRE X PSYCHE

Video Game Releas

December 27, 2024

On Air
RainStyle Games • RainStyle Production
T • PS5, XboxXS • Adventure, Horror

December 30, 2024

The Knight of Nephiart
VR Role-playing Game INC.
NA • PCVR, OC, PSVR • Role-playing Game

January 1, 2025

Hollow Home
Twigames Inc. • Galaktus, Twigames Inc.
NA • PC • Adventure, Role-playing Game

January 2, 2025

Wuthering Waves
KURO GAMES
T • PS5 • Action, Role-playing Game, Gacha

January 7, 2025

Ys Memoire: The Oath in Felghana
Nihon Falcom Corporation • XSEED Games, Marvelous USA, Inc.
T • PS4, PS5, Switch • Role-playing Game, Remaster

January 9, 2025

Human Within
Signal Space, Actrio Studio • Signal Space Lab
T • PCVR, MQ • Adventure, Puzzle

Sophie & Asbel Lhant
–Tales of Graces™ f Remastered

January 10, 2025

FREEDOM WARS™ Remastered
Dimps Corporation • Bandai Namco Entertainment America, Inc.
T • PC, PS4, PS5, Switch • Action, Role-playing Game, Remaster

January 14, 2025

Pirates VR: Jolly Roger
Split Light Studio • VRkiwi
NA • PCVR • Action, Adventure

January 15, 2025

Aloft
Astrolabe Interactive Inc.
NA • PC • Adventure, Simulation

January 16, 2025

Assetto Corsa EVO
KUNOS Simulazioni Srl • 505 Games S.p.A
E • PC • Racing, Simulation

Donkey Kong Country Returns HD
Forever Entertainment S.A. • Nintendo
E • Switch • Platformer, Remaster

Hollywood Animal
Weappy Studio • Weappy Wholesome
NA • PC • Strategy, Simulation

Matchmaking Inc.
Wave Game • Lightning Games
NA • PC • Adventure, Role-playing Game, Simulation

January 17, 2025

Dynasty Warriors Origins
Omega Force • Koei Tecmo Games Co. Ltd.
T • PC, PS5, XboxXS • Action

Tales of Graces™ f Remastered
Bandai Namco Games, Team Symphonia (Namco Tales Studio) • Bandai Namco Entertainment, Inc.
T • PC, PS4, PS5, Switch, XboxXS • Role-playing Game

January 20, 2025

Magic Inn
Purpledoor Studios
NA • PC • Cards, Life Simulation, Management

January 22, 2025

ENDER MAGNOLIA: Bloom in the Mist
Live Wire, Adglobe Tokyo • Binary Haze Interactive Inc.
NA • PS4, PS5, Switch, Xbox1, XboxXS • Action, Adventure, Platformer

January 23, 2025

STAR WARS™: Episode I: Jedi Power Battles™ [Remaster]
Aspyr • Lucasfilm Games
T • PC, PS4, PS5, Switch, XboxXS • Action, Remaster, Arcade

Final Fantasy VII: Rebirth
Square Enix Co., Ltd.
T • PC • Role-playing Game

Synduality: Echo of Ada
Game Studio • Bandai Namco Games
T • PC, PS5, XboxXS • Shooter

January 25, 2025

Guilty Gear Strive
Arc System Works (Team Red) • Arc System Works Co., Ltd.
T • Switch • Fighting

Uzume Tennōboshi –Neptunia Riders VS Dogoos

January 27, 2025

STAR WARS™: Hunters
NaturalMotion Games LTD. • Zynga Inc.
T • PC • Action, Adventure, Live Service

January 28, 2025

Cuisineer
BattleBrew Productions • XSEED Games
E10+ • PS5, Switch, XboxXS • Action, Adventure, Role-playing Game, Simulation

Neptunia Riders VS Dogoos
Compile Heart • Idea Factory International Inc.
E10+ • PC, PS4, Switch • Action

The Stone of Madness
The Game Kitchen • Tripwire Interactive LLC
M • PC, PS5, Switch, XboxXS • Action, Strategy, Real-Time, Stealth

Warside
Lavabird • First Break Labs
NA • PC, PS4, PS5, Switch, XboxXS • Strategy, Turn-Based

January 30, 2025

Phantom Brave: The Lost Hero
Nippon Ichi Software, Inc. • NIS America, Inc.
T • PC, PS4, PS5, Switch • Role-playing Game

Sniper Elite: Resistance
Rebellion
T • PC, PS4, PS5, Xbox1, XboxXS • Shooter, Stealth

Spider-Man 2
Insomniac Games • Sony Interactive Entertainment, LLC
T • PC • Action, Adventure, Open-World

January 31, 2025

Genso Manège
MAGES. Inc. • PQube Limited
T • Switch, PC • Simulation, Adventure

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Heart of the Machine
Arcen Games, LLC • Hooded Horse
E • Mac, PC • Role-playing Game, Strategy

February 4, 2025

Blood Bar Tycoon
Clever Trickster Studio • Clever Trickster Productions
T • PC • Strategy, Simulation

Hidden Pass
GG Studio
T • PC • Role-playing Game, Strategy

Rogue Waters
Ice Code Games • Tripwire Interactive LLC
E10+ • PC, PS5, Switch, XboxXS • Role-playing Game, Strategy

February 5, 2025

Rift of the NecroDancer
Brace Yourself Games, Tic Toc Games • Klei Publishing
NA • PC • Action, Role-playing Game

February 11, 2025

Kingdom Come: Deliverance II
Warhorse Studios • Deep Silver
M • PC, PS5, XboxXS • Action, Open World, Role-playing Game

Sid Meier's Civilization VII
Firaxis • 2K Games
E10+ • PC, PS4, PS5, Switch, Xbox1, XboxXS • Strategy

February 13, 2025

Phantom Breaker: Battle Grounds Ultimate
Rocket Panda Games Japan • Rocket Panda Games
E10+ • PC, PS5, XboxXS • Beat 'Em Up

Urban Myth Dissolution Center
Hakababunko • SHUEISHA GAMES Inc.
NA • PC, PS5, Switch • Adventure

February 14, 2025

Assassin's Creed® Shadows
Ubisoft Quebec • Ubisoft Entertainment
M • Luna, Mac, PC, PS5, XboxXS • Action, Role-playing Game, Open-World

The Legend of Heroes: Trails through Daybreak II
Nihon Falcom Corporation, PH3 GmbH • NIS America, Inc.
T • PC, PS4, PS5, Switch • Action, Adventure, Role-playing Game

Tomb Raider IV-VI Remastered
Crystal Dynamics, Aspyr • Aspyr Media, Inc.
T • PC, PS4, PS5, Switch, Xbox1, XboxXS • Action, Adventure, Compilation

February 18, 2025

Avowed
Obsidian Entertainment • Xbox Game Studios
M • PC, XboxXS • Role-playing Game

Lost Records: Bloom & Rage Tape 1
DON'T NOD Montréal • DON'T NOD Entertainment
NA • PC, PS5, XboxXS • Adventure

February 21, 2025

Like a Dragon: Pirate Yakuza in Hawaii
Ryu Ga Gotoku Studio • SEGA of America, Inc.
M • PC, PS4, PS5, Xbox1, XboxXS • Action, Adventure, Role-playing Game

February 26, 2025

Date Everything!
Sassy Chap Games • Team17 Digital Ltd.
M • PC, PS4, Switch, XboxXS • Simulation, Dating Sim

February 27, 2025

Yu-Gi-Oh! Early Days Collection
Konami JPN (KCEJ), Studio Dice • Konami Digital Entertainment Co., Ltd.
T • Switch • Compilation, Card, Battle

February 28, 2025

Dollhouse: Behind the Broken Mirror
Grindstone, Indigo Studios - Interactive Stories • SOEDESCO Publishing
T • PC, PS5, XboxXS • Action, Adventure, Horror

Monster Hunter Wilds
Capcom Co., Ltd.
T • PC, PS5, XboxXS • Action, Role-playing Game

March 4, 2025

Two Point Museum
Two Point Studios • SEGA Publishing Europe Limited
E • PC, PS5, XboxXS • Strategy, Simulation

March 6, 2025

Suikoden I&II HD Remaster: Gate Rune and Dunan Unification Wars
Konami Digital Entertainment Co., Ltd.
T • PC, PS4, Switch, Xbox1 • Compilation, Role-playing Game, Remaster

March 18, 2025

Lost Records: Bloom & Rage Tape 2
DON'T NOD Montréal • DON'T NOD Entertainment
NA • PC, PS5, XboxXS • Adventure

March 20, 2025

Xenoblade Chronicles X: Definitive Edition
Monolith Software (JP) • Nintendo
T • Switch • Role-playing Game, Remaster

March 21, 2025

Atelier Yumia: The Alchemist of Memories & the Envisioned Land
Gust Co. Ltd. • Koei Tecmo Games Co. Ltd.
T • PC, PS4, PS5, Switch, XboxXS • Role-playing Game

BLEACH Rebirth of Souls
TAMSOFT CORPORATION • Bandai Namco Entertainment America, Inc.
T • PC, PS4, PS5, XboxXS • Action, Fighting

March 25, 2025

Tales of the Shire: A The Lord of The Rings™ Game
Wētā Workshop • Private Division
NA • PC, PS4, Switch, XboxXS • Adventure

March 27, 2025

Atomfall
Rebellion
T • PC, PS4, PS5, Xbox1, XboxXS • Action, Role-playing Game, First-Person Shooter, Survival

Care Bears: Unlock The Magic
Xaloc Studios SL • Maximum Entertainment™, LLC, Arcadia Interactive SLU
E • PS4, PS5, Switch • Platformer

Hitman: World of Assassination
IO Interactive A/S
M • PSVR • Action

March 28, 2025

inZOI
KRAFTON, Inc
NA • PC • Adventure, Simulation

April 4, 2025

Ekoh Beach
ZenLand Video Games
NA • PC • Role-playing Game, Simulation

April 17, 2025

Koira
Studio Tolima • DON'T NOD
NA • PC, PS5 • Adventure

April 21, 2025

Fatal Fury: City of the Wolves
SNK Corporation
T • PC, PS4, PS5, XboxXS • Fighting

April 24, 2025

The Hundred Line: Last Defense Academy
Too Kyo Games, LLC., Media. Vision Inc.
• XSEED Games, Aniplex Inc.
NA • PC, Switch • Adventure, Tactical

May 12, 2025

Project: Mist
Chicken Launcher
NA • PC • Horror, Survival, Open-World

Yumia Liessfeldt & Viktor von Duerer –Atelier Yumia: The Alchemist of Memories & the Envisioned Land

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XBOX ONE
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Tales of Graces f Remastered

Bonds Transcend Time

Tales of Graces f Remastered is an action RPG with high-speed battles that allow you to switch between fighting styles to match your play style. Experience a touching story full of adventure that dives into the true meaning of bonds and friendship. Venture to the planet Ephinea to become Asbel Lhant as he is joined by his childhood friends and the mysterious Sophie on a journey after becoming drawn into a conflict between three kingdoms vying for control of the planet!

Action-packed Battles

High-speed battles that allow you to switch your play style known as the Style-Shift Linear Motion Battle System.

Enhanced Visuals and Gameplay

Now remastered with quality-of-life enhancements such as auto-saving, no encounters, improved graphics, and more.

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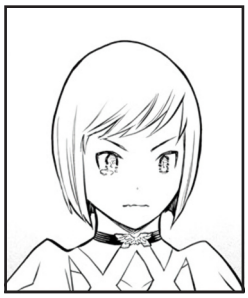
Lacile

A boy who dreams of a "flying city in the sky." He lives quietly with his family in a remote area, but his fate begins to change when he meets Leana. As a "photon carrier," he can move at high speeds, and has the combat power to destroy mechanized soldiers with one blow. He is actually a human weapon created during the war.



Leana

A girl who descended from the 'Flying City in the Sky" to Earth. In fact, she is the legitimate princess of the city-state of Ariadne. As part of her royal duties, she has a fiancé whom she has never met. However, she runs away before her wedding. She has a strong desire to see a world she has never seen before, including races other than the humans on earth, mountains and seas.

Sōkyū no Ariadne

by Mizu, Asato

One day, Lacile, a boy who longs for the "Flying City in the Sky," saves a girl named Leana from a group of mechanized soldiers. She is the princess of the flying city of Ariadne, and Rasil is appointed as the "Knight of the Sky" to protect Leana. The two set out on a journey in search of freedom and the unknown, meeting many companions along the way and continuing their adventure in search of the "Original Light." Meanwhile, a military coup breaks out in the Ariadne Empire. The king is placed under house arrest by members of the Seventh Sword, the Empire's greatest fighting force, who sided with the military, and Princess Leana's life is put in danger by them. Eventually, it turns out that Ariade is what this world will look like 10 years from now. As the flying city Barbaros continues to invade its neighbors, its next target is the Ariadne Empire. Learning that its fall is imminent, Lacile resolves to defeat Barbaros of this world and change the future.

Here's a preview of the first chapter. Be sure to support the author.

These pages are meant to read in spreads, side by side.

The story flow will be off, if read page by individual page.

Sōkyū no Ariadne
(Ariadne in the Blue Sky(
蒼穹のアリアドネ

Shogakukan • Shūkan Shōnen Sunday
April 2018 – March 2023 • 22 Volumes

https://shogakukan-comic.jp/book?isbn=9784091282446

Author: Yagi, Norihiro

Genre: Adventure, Comedy, Drama, Shōnen, Action, Sci-Fi

Format: Softcover/Manga

Price: ≈¥550 MSRP each volume including tax

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Sōkyū no Ariadne

THERE ARE JUST THOSE TIMES
WHEN I CAN'T HELP BUT FEEL THAT THERE'S SOMETHING IN THE SKY, EVEN THOUGH I CAN'T SEE IT
BUT SOMETIMES
MAYBE THAT'S TRUE
HMM WELL
RUMORS SHOULD ONLY REACH THE TOWN NEXT TO THAT TOWN
IF IT REACHED THAT FAR, IT'S DEFINITELY A LIE.
ARE SAYING THAT SOMETHING THEY'VE NEVER SEEN BEFORE FELL DOWN FROM THE SKY, AND IT'S CAUSING A MAJOR RUCKUS
BESIDES, PEOPLE FROM THE TOWN NEXT TO THE TOWN NEXT TO THE TOWN NEXT TO THE TOWN NEXT TO US
6
YEAH
OKAY
WANNA EAAT
MEAAAT
WE GOTTA LET THEM EAT MEAT EVERY SO OFTEN
THESE GIRLS ARE IN THEIR GROWTH PERIOD
GO FOR A RUN AND CHECK THE TRAPS IN THE FOREST.
MAN
YOU JUST DON'T FEEL LIKE DOING ANYTHING, HUH

HMM MM
HEY LACILE
DON'T JUST STARE AT THE SKY, HELP US HARVEST THE CROPS
5
PIPI AND MEME ASKED YOU TO READ SOMETHING YESTERDAY,
SO YOU MUST'VE BEEN DREAMING ABOUT IT.
YOU MEAN THE ONE THAT YOU SEE IN BOOKS?
I WONDER IF THE FLYING CITY ACTUALLY EXISTS.
HEY GRAMPA

Stop Reading Here

Start Reading Here

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Sōkyū no Ariadne

THE FLYING CITY OF THE HEAV-ENS!
THE CITY THAT FLOATS IN THE SKY
1: THE FLYING CITY OF THE HEAVENS
蒼穹のアリアドネ
Ariadne in the blue sky.
八木教広
エンジェル伝説「CLAYMORE」

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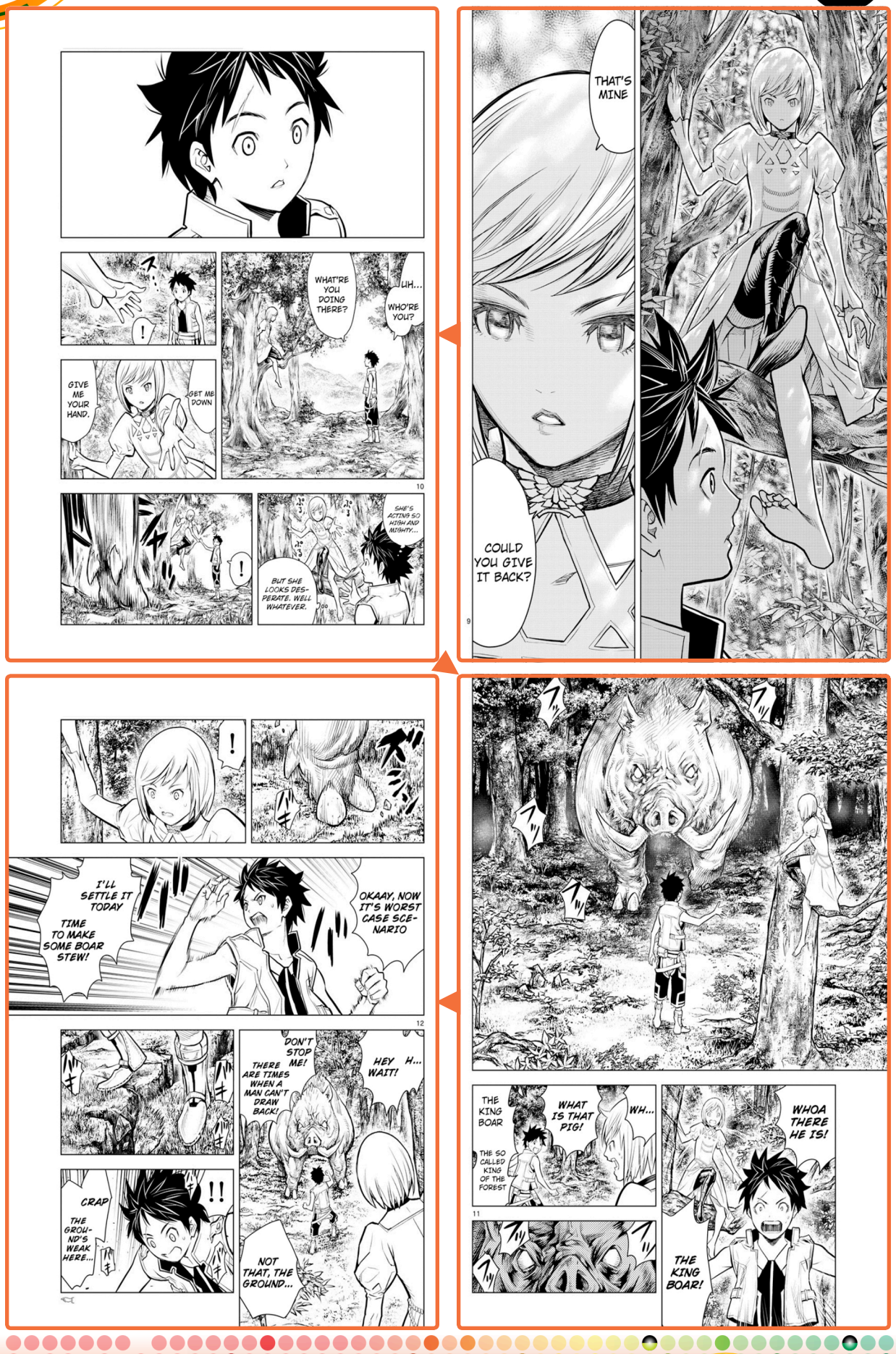
THAT'S MINE
COULD YOU GIVE IT BACK?
9
WHAT'RE YOU DOING THERE?
UH... WHO'RE YOU?
GIVE ME YOUR HAND.
GET ME DOWN
10
SHE'S ACTING SO HIGH AND MIGHTY...
BUT SHE LOOKS DESPERATE. WELL WHATEVER.
I'LL SETTLE IT TODAY
TIME TO MAKE SOME BOAR STEW!
OKAAY, NOW IT'S WORST CASE SCENARIO
12
DON'T STOP ME! THERE ARE TIMES WHEN A MAN CAN'T DRAW BACK!
HEY WAIT! H...
CRAP THE GROUND'S WEAK HERE...
NOT THAT, THE GROUND...
THE KING BOAR
THE SO CALLED KING OF THE FOREST
WHAT IS THAT PIG!
WH...
11
WHOA THERE HE IS!
THE KING BOAR!

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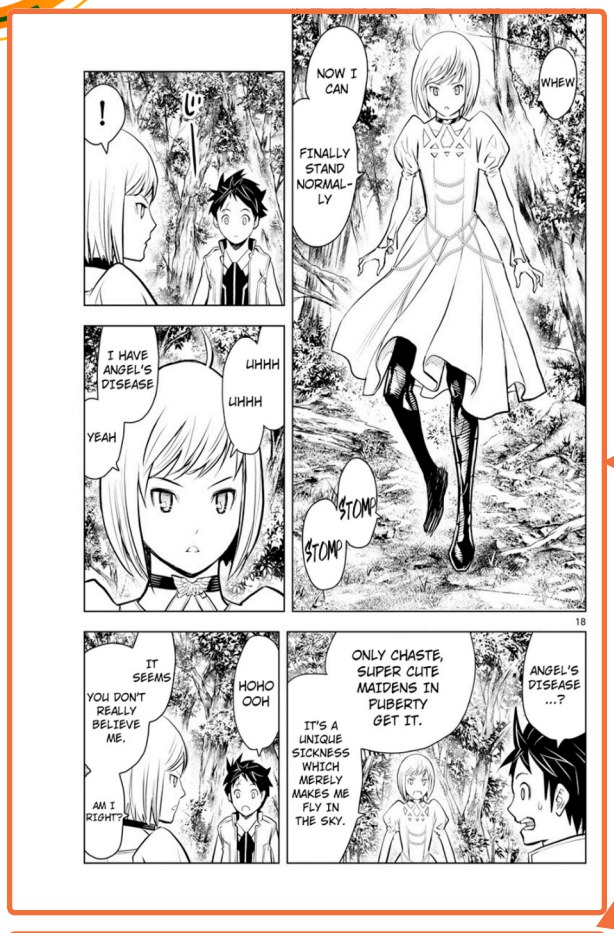

ENOUGH OF THAT
JUST LOOK FOR THEM NOW
THE INVINCIBLE KING OF THE FOREST'S DEAD NOW, HUH.
WHOA AAA
IMPERMA-NENCE, I GUESS.
THOSE TWO TOGETH-ER ARE ABOUT MY WEI-GHT.
HOW MUCH DO THEY WEIGH?
IN ANY CASE, THESE ARE PRETTY HEAVY
17
OH
THERE THEY ARE
I'M GOING TO SLAP YOU NOW,
SO JUST BRING THEM TO ME QUICK-LY
EACH ABOUT 30KG?

YOU LACK INTELLI-GENCE AND YOU HAVE NO IDEA HOW THE WORLD WORKS
YOU MIDGET BOY
TH... THAT'S BECAUSE
BUT I'VE NEVER EVER HEARD OF THAT SICKNESS BEFORE
!
NO
I MEAN I KNOW YOU'RE SUPER CUTE
NO, THEY SHOULD BE
I MEAN, HOW OLD ARE YOU?
I MEAN, WHO ARE YOU?
BUT OUR AGES AREN'T REALLY DIFFERENT, RIGHT?
WELL, I'M NOT A GOOD LEARNER AND I AM QUITE IGNORANT
I SEE
19
MY NAME IS LAANA
I'M GOING TO BE 15 THIS YEAR.
AND I'M ALWAYS GOING TO BE OLDER THAN YOU
NOW LO AND BEHOLD
I'M GONNA BE 14 THIS YEAR.
I'M LACILE

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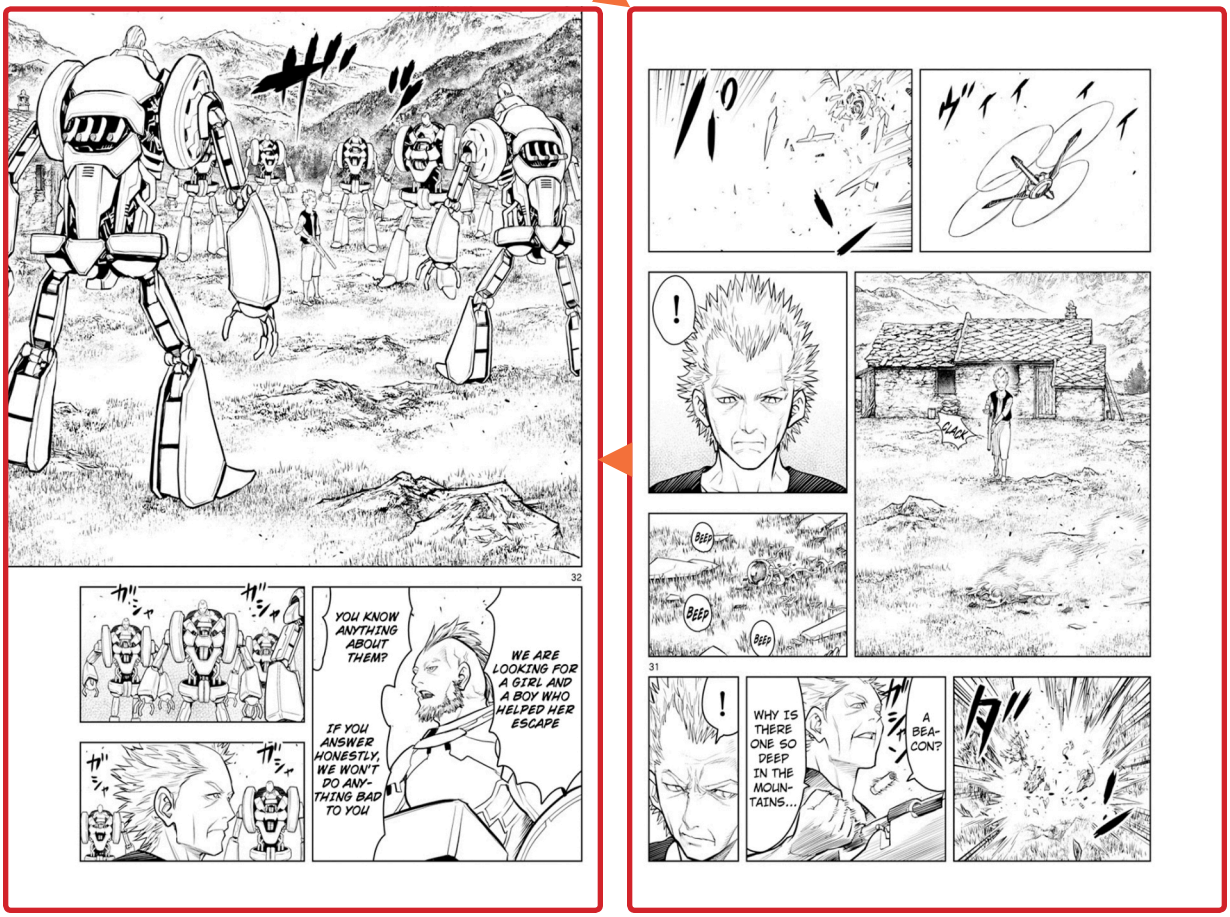
KYAH!
!!
WHICH IS WHY I ALWAYS, ALWAYS GAZE AT THE SKY
TO BE HONEST, I BELIEVE THE FLYING CITY EXISTS SOMEWHERE IN THE WORLD
30
KYAAAAAH!
HUH?
I CAN'T HEAR WHAT YOU'RE SAYING AT ALL
S...SO PLEASE
JUST DECREASE YOUR SPEED A BIT...
I... I GET IT
!!
YOU KNOW ABOUT THE FLYING CITY?
HEY
HEY TOO F-
H...
I ONLY GO SHOPPING IN THE NEARBY TOWN EVERY SO OFTEN,
I'VE LIVED IN THESE MOUNTAINS FOR ALMOST ALL MY LIFE
SO I'M INTERESTED IN THE OUTSIDE WORLD SINCE I DON'T KNOW MUCH ABOUT IT
29
LIKE, LAANA,
I'VE NEVER SEEN CLOTHES LIKE YOURS BEFORE, SO I THOUGHT YOU CAME FROM A FAR COUNTRY
WH... WHAT THE
WHERE DID THAT COME FROM...



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WHEN GRAMPA GOT DISCHARGED FROM THE ARMY,
IT'S AN OLD STORY
HE JUST SWIPED A FEW MILITARY TOOLS AWAY
NOT AT ALL!
ARE YOU A SCOUNDREL?
SOMETHING'S SUSPICIOUS HERE
ARE YOU PLANNING ON KIDNAPPING ME AND CARRYING OUT THE HIGH ACT OF TREASON?
WELL, THAT'S A SUPER CLASSIFIED SECRET FROM THE BIG WAR.
WHAT'RE YOU EVEN SAYING?
USING PHOTON ENERGY WITHOUT CHARGING?
BUT THESE ARE SPECIAL THINGS CREATED DURING THE PREVIOUS MAJOR WAR
I DUNNO THE DETAILS MYSELF,
AH WHOA HEY
NOBODY CAN USE THEM ASIDE FROM ME
GIVE ME THOSE THINGS
I CAN'T BELIEVE THIS
IF YOU CAN DO IT, THERE'S NO WAY I CAN'T DO IT
SO I CAN USE PHOTON ENERGY WITHOUT WAITING TO CHARGE.
26

HMMM
ISN'T FUN AT ALL.
BUT MERELY FLOATING AROUND IN THE SKY
ガシャ
?
ガシャ
SO IF I WALK WHILE HOLDING YOUR HAND,
I CAN GO WITH YOU WITHOUT GETTING TIRED.
IF I TAKE OFF A SINGLE BOOT, I'LL LOSE ALL MY WEIGHT
WE CAN'T FLY THERE BECAUSE THE PEOPLE FROM BEFORE WILL FIND US,
BUT IT'S A 10KM WALK FROM HERE
I DUNNO WHAT'S REALLY HAPPENING. BUT IF YOU'RE GETTING CHASED, WANNA COME TO MY PLACE?
!
28
ANYWAYS, I'M KINDA WORRIED ABOUT MY HOME
SO I'LL FLY A BIT
WELL WHATEVER
YOU'LL CARRY IT, OF COURSE.
DO PEOPLE OFTEN TELL YOU HOW SELFISH YOU ARE?
YOU GONNA THROW YOUR BOOT AWAY?

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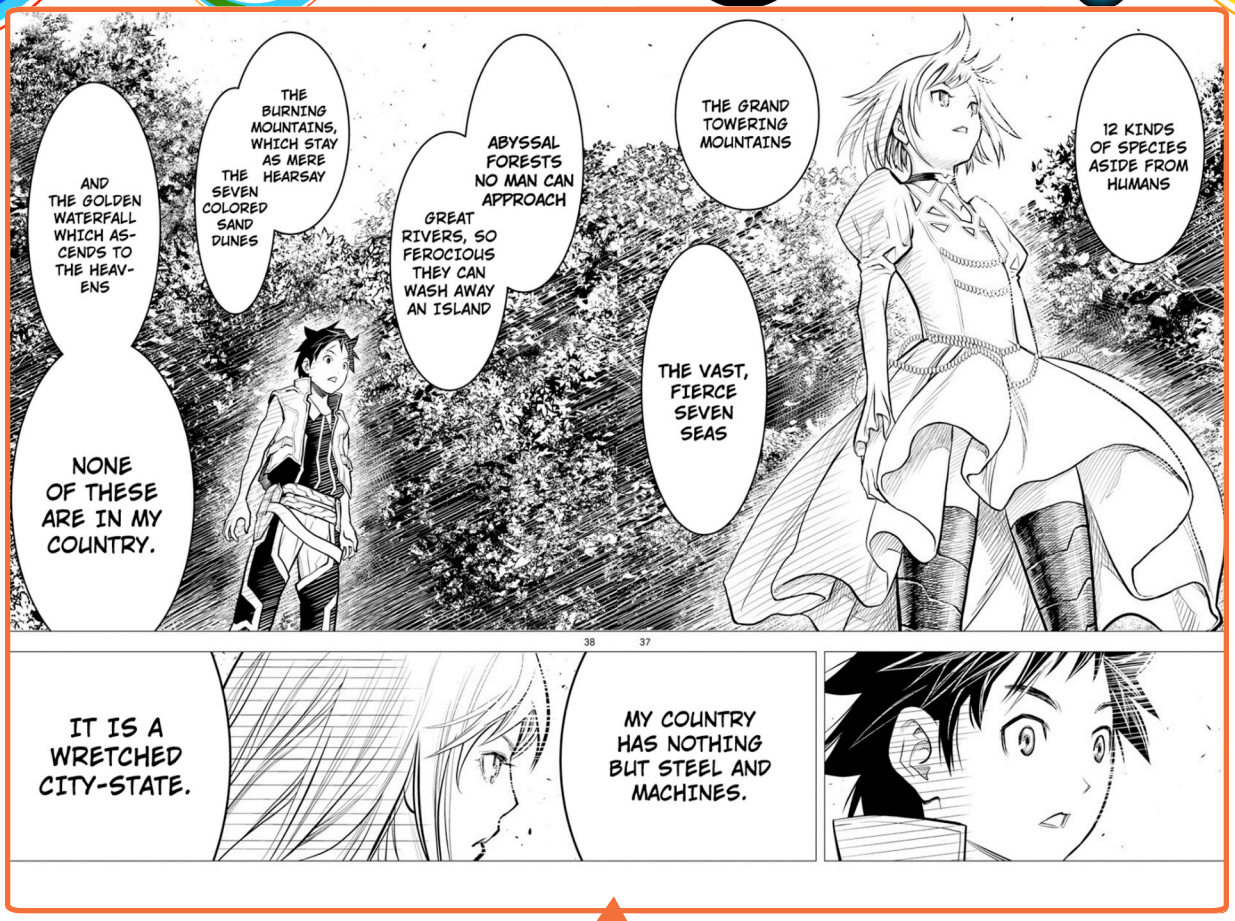
THE GRAND TOWERING MOUNTAINS
12 KINDS OF SPECIES ASIDE FROM HUMANS
ABYSSAL FORESTS NO MAN CAN APPROACH
GREAT RIVERS, SO FEROCIOUS THEY CAN WASH AWAY AN ISLAND
THE VAST, FIERCE SEVEN SEAS
THE BURNING MOUNTAINS, WHICH STAY AS MERE HEARSAY
THE SEVEN COLORED SAND DUNES
AND THE GOLDEN WATERFALL WHICH ASCENDS TO THE HEAVENS
NONE OF THESE ARE IN MY COUNTRY.
38
37
IT IS A WRETCHED CITY-STATE.
MY COUNTRY HAS NOTHING BUT STEEL AND MACHINES.

I'M GONNA BE YOUR FAMILY STARTING TODAY
COME, KID
40
!
I KEPT LOOKING AT THE BLANK SKY
THINKING ABOUT IT,
AND I KNEW NOTHING OUTSIDE THESE MOUNTAINS
THE FIRST HALF ASIDE,
LAA-NA!
I BELIEVE THE LAST HALF ARE DOWNRIGHT LIES, STUFF WE CAN ONLY CALL RUMORS.

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THERE'S A LOTTA PURSU-ERS
WHAT THE HECK
WHOA!
YOU'RE ACTING QUITE RUDE AS PER USUAL
WHAT THE HECK DID YOU DO?
ARE YOU LIKE SOME LEGENDARY EVIL OR SOMETHING?
I MEAN, THERE'S A LOT OF THEM CHASING AFTER ONE GIRL...
33
I GUESS I REALLY CAN'T GET ANYONE ELSE IN-VOLVED IN THIS...
WELL FINE
.....
SIGH ...

A NAME WE SHOULD NEVER KNOW
WHAT DOES THAT MEAN!
I HAVE NO IDEA WHAT YOU'VE BEEN SAYING THIS WHOLE TIME
WHAT!?
!
A ROYAL MAN FROM ANOTHER COUNTRY AND WHOM I'VE NEVER MET BEFORE.
I HAVE A FIANCE
36
BEFORE THAT HAPPENS
WHICH IS WHY I REALLY WANTED TO SEE THESE SIGHTS
THEN I AM SEPARATED FROM MY COUNTRY AND I LIVE IN A MANSION THAT'S LIKE AN ELEGANT CASTLE
AND AFTER THAT, I BELIEVE I BEGIN LIVING A LIFE WHERE I CAN'T EVER STEP A FOOT OUTSIDE
IN HALF A YEAR, WHEN I TURN 15, THEY'LL HOLD A MARRIAGE CEREMONY.

IT'S A NAME PEOPLE SHOULD NEVER KNOW
ACTU-ALLY
!
YOU DON'T HAVE TO KNOW ABOUT IT.
THE PRINCESS IS HERE!
THERE SHE IS!
!!
I REPEAT. THE PRIN-CESS IS HERE!
!
35
BUT I'M GLAD I CAME INTO CONTACT WITH THIS LAND, THIS WORLD, AND YOU.
IT WAS ONLY FOR A SHORT TIME,
A NAME...
PEOPLE SHOULD NEVER KNOW ...?

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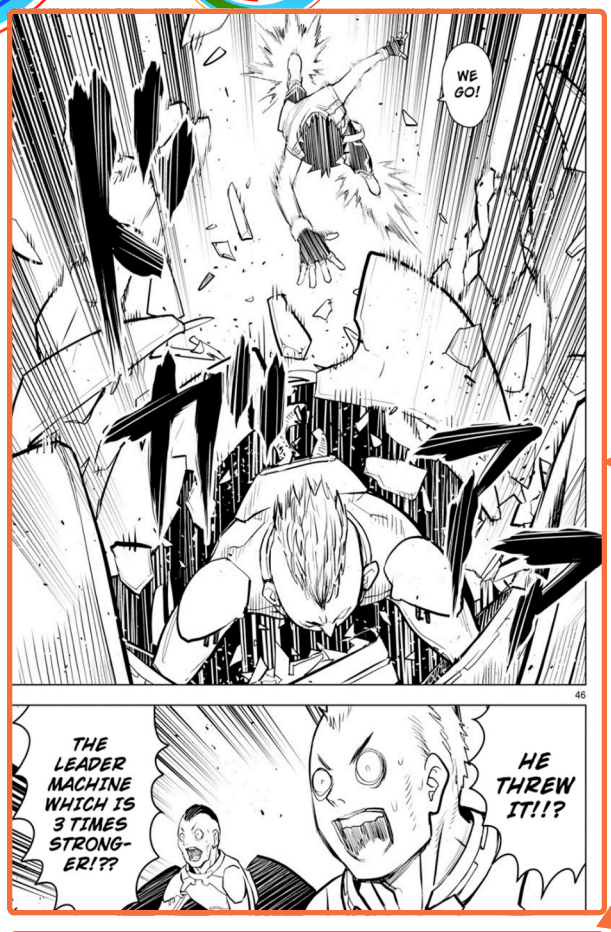

AND THEY DIDN'T FEEL AS PAINFUL AND AS COLD AS THAT.
GRAMPA'S HANDS HELD MINE ONCE,
IM-POSSI-BLE!
HE'S GATH-ERING PHOTON ENERGY TO HIS BODY!
NO WAY. YOU'RE...
A CASTER ...
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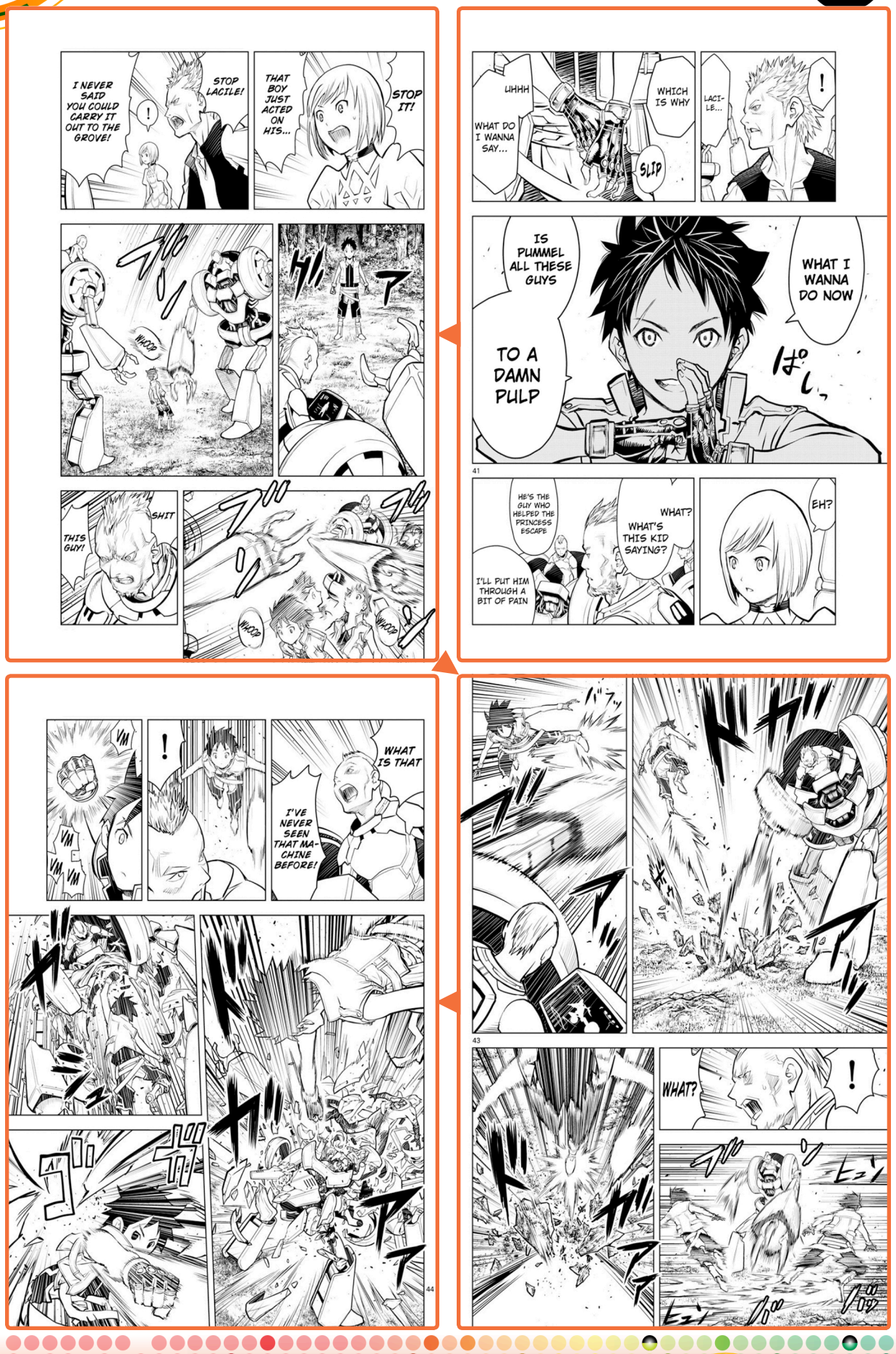

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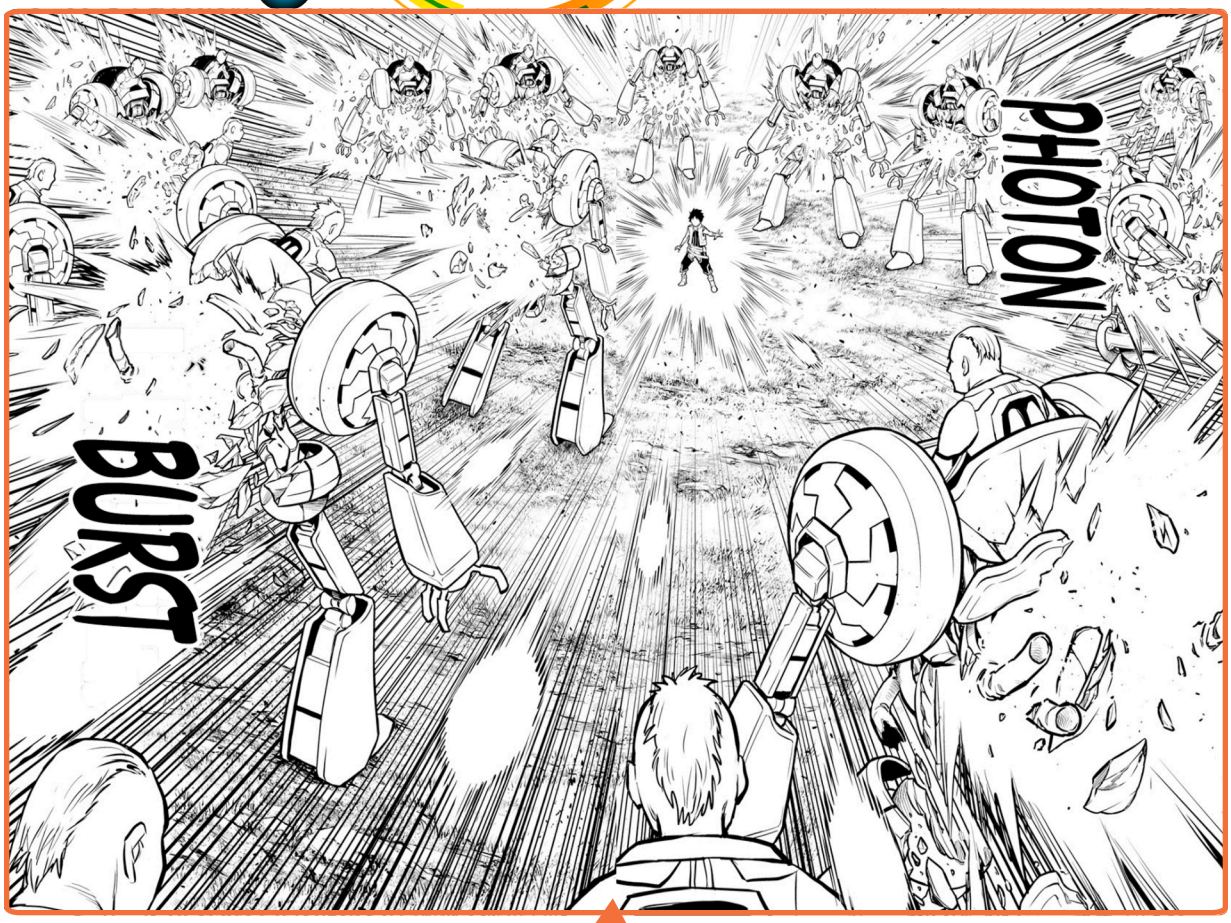

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